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EIGHTIETH BIRTHDAY

Very lovely in all its appointments was the reception given at the home of Mrs. Olive M. Mason on Saturday afternoon from three to five o'clock, in honor of Mrs. Mason's eightieth birthday. Everything was delightfully gracious and informal and friends numbering a hundred came from far and near to congratulate Mrs. Mason and extend affectionate good wishes for many happy returns.

The guests were greeted by Miss Alice G. Mason, the daughter of the house, and Mrs. Mason was assisted in receiving by her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie L. Mason of South Paris.

The rooms were lavishly decorated with quantities of beautiful flowers, roses, pinks and chrysanthemums, many of them gifts in honor of the day. In the dining room the refreshments were served during the first hour by Mrs. Lucinda Edward and Mrs. Alfredda Edwards and during the second hour by Mrs. Fred L. Edwards and Miss Fannie Mason. They were assisted by Miss Ernestine Philbrook and Miss Naomi Smith.

A guest book was in charge of Miss Olive Wiley.

There were many gifts and a veritable deluge of birthday cards, letters and telegrams came from absent friends. A poem contributed by Rev. J. H. Little, was read during the afternoon and everything conspired to make it one of the loveliest and most felicitous occasions that Bethel has enjoyed for a long time—(An out-of-town guest).

MRS. O. M. MASON

On Her 80th Birthday

For eighty years you have journeyed on Over hill and dale amid scenes now gone, With the hopes of childhood and youthful dreams,

In maturer years showing what life means.

Today, with friends who come with cheerful greeting Your heart is made glad by this Birthday meeting.

Old friends, old faces, now friends, now faces, All friends too dear to be missed from their places

In the happy throng and welcome song As they file through the house all day long.

From every rank of honored labor Friends come in throngs, strangers, neighbors,

To honor you and place your name On the roll of Eternal Fame.

From church and school, from club and lodge, From the business world and from the bar,

They gather here from near and afar, To remind you of friendship's golden chain,

Which through all these years Has ever held in memory dear

The scenes and ties of a glorious past, Ripening with years into the golden bond

Which will grow and strengthen as the years roll on.

And the kindly wish of us all today Is that you may be permitted to stay To greet us here for many a day.

J. H. L.

CENTRAL MAINE POWER COMPANY NEWS

The first big generator for the Central Maine Power Company's new power house at Skowhegan has arrived and is being put in place. This generator will develop 4250 HP.

At the same time, there arrived one of the huge "runners" or waterwheels to drive this generator. This wheel weighs 40,000 pounds and is 10 feet in diameter. As an illustration of the advance in water wheel designing, it is interesting to note that this one wheel will produce more power than the 14 wheels that formerly operated the mills at Skowhegan. The reason for this is that while the old style wheels only utilized from 60 to 70 per cent of the water, this new one is capable of using over 80 per cent of the water power.

The power-house itself is beginning to show its architectural attractiveness, for most of the brickwork is in place. The finishing touch to the exterior will be the French green tile roof.

With the work in its present advanced condition so early in the season, the company expects that this first generator will be in operation around December 1 throwing its electrical energy into the interconnected lines of the company to be used wherever it is needed in any part of the system.

Find last articles through the Citizen Want Column

MEETING OF WOMEN'S CLUBS TO BE HELD AT SOUTH PARIS

The Community Club of South Paris invites all the Women's Organizations of Oxford County to a meeting to be held in Engine House Hall on Tuesday, October 26th, at 3.30 P. M., at which time Mrs. Robert T. Whitehouse of Portland, State Chairman of the Home Directorate, will be present and speak on the State Chamber of Commerce and Agricultural League. She will take up especially the work of the Home Directorate, its organization, purposes and work accomplished. This will be a most interesting meeting and it is hoped that the acceptance of this invitation will be county wide.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Sunday: Morning worship with sermon at 10.45. Sunday School at 12. Christian Endeavor service in the evening at 7 o'clock. Topic, "Lessons from recent events."

The Ladies Club will be omitted this week.

Mid-week service Tuesday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

UNIVERSALIST CHURCH

Morning service at 10.45. Sunday School at 12.

Evening meeting at 7 o'clock Sunday. As long as the weather is favorable these meetings will be held in the chapel.

The Ladies' Circle will hold a food sale this week, Friday, at Miss L. M. Stearns' store.

The Sunday School had the largest attendance last Sunday than at any time since vacation.

METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, Oct. 24, will be observed as Good Literature Day. Sunday School at noon. Evening service at 7.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Robertson, Mason street.

A reception for the members of the Cradle Roll Department and their mothers was held at the vestry Tuesday afternoon. A good number were present. A short program was enjoyed and also refreshments of ice cream, cookies and cake. Miss Minnie Capen, who has had charge of this Department for five years, resigned as Superintendent and will be succeeded by Mrs. Scott Robertson.

The Methodist ministers of the vicinity will hold their Ministers' Group Meeting at the Bethel church on Tuesday, Oct. 26. There will be morning, afternoon and evening sessions and the public is cordially invited to all. D. B. Holt will have charge of the sessions and there will be special music at the evening service.

The annual harvest fair and supper was held at the church Thursday, Oct. 14. The tables in the vestry received good patronage. The supper, as usual, was a good one and about 150 partook of it. A goodly sum was realized.

On Wednesday, Oct. 20 occurred the marriage of Mr. Cleveland Nelson Waterhouse and Miss Alice Frances Conner, both of Mason, at the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev. J. H. Little. The double ring service was used. Their friends extend to them hearty wishes for a bright and happy future.

STATE OF MAINE
WARRANT FOR
PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

County of Oxford, ss.
Town of Bethel

To David M. Forbes, citizen of the town of Bethel,

You are hereby required in the name of the State of Maine, to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Bethel, qualified to vote for senators, to assemble at Olean Hall on the Tuesday next after the first Monday in November, the same being the second day of said month, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and twenty at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, then and there to give in their votes for electors of President and Vice President.

The polls will be open at 8 o'clock in the forenoon and will be closed at six o'clock in the afternoon.

This election will be in session at Olean Hall, Office Saturday, October 30th for the purpose of correcting the list of voters.

HEREOF, FAIL NOT and have you there and then this warrant with your doing thereon.

Given under our hands in the Town of Bethel this 16th day of October in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty.

FRANK A. BROWN,
W. H. THURSTON,
F. B. HOWE,
Selectmen of the Town of Bethel

A true copy—Attest:
David M. Forbes, Citizen.

NEW RECRUITING PLAN

Each town and city to supply its quota of the New Army of 280,000 is the present plan of the Army Recruiting Service. Maine's quota is 1800 and New Hampshire 1000. If each town and city keeps its quota in the Army, there will be no recruiting problem, and the taxpayers will be saved millions of dollars.

The following enumeration shows the process by which the quota of each county, town and city is found: Population of the United States, (approx.) 120,000,000. Quota, 280,000. Population of the Portland Recd. Dist., (approx.) 1,200,000. Quota, 2,800. Population of Maine, (approx.) 750,000. Quota, 1,800. Population of New Hampshire, (approx.) 450,000. Quota, 1,000.

MAINE

Counties	Approx. Pop.	Quota
Androscoggin	60,000	144
Aroostook	75,000	180
Cumberland	125,000	276
Franklin	20,000	48
Hancock	36,000	86
Kennebec	63,000	161
Knox	29,000	70
Lincoln	18,000	43
Oxford	36,000	87
Penobscot	86,000	207
Piscataquis	20,000	48
Sagadahoc	20,000	48
Somerset	36,000	86
Waldo	23,000	55
Washington	43,000	103
York	70,000	168

OXFORD COUNTY

Town	Population	Quota
Upton	306	73
Grafton	64	16
Andover	757	184
Byron	187	46
Roxbury	311	77
Dixfield	1056	264
Mexico	2065	516
Rumford	6777	1671
Newry	371	93
Hanover	198	49
Bethel	834	208
Gilead	253	63
Lovell	608	152
Stow	224	56
Sweden	892	223
Waterford	934	233
Norway	2215	554
Albany	410	102
Greenwood	664	166
Bryant Pond	500	125
Milton Ptn.	204	51
Sumner	702	176
Peru	746	187
Canton	1013	253
Hartford	582	146
Buckfield	357	89
Paris	3436	859
Hebron	603	151
Oxford	473	118
Fryeburg	540	135
Denmark	596	149
Brownfield	933	233
Hiram	945	236
Porter	864	216
	31,002	780

For instance, the quota of Oxford County is 86. Of this, Bethel's share is 2. If each town like Dixfield keeps 3 men in the army at all times, or Andover, 2; or Grafton and Upton, 1; the recruiting problem will be solved and each town will have its proper representation.

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MISS CATHERINE GROVER

Miss Catherine Grover, one of the Grover twins, died at the home of Mrs. Sweet at Church street, Sunday. A more extended account will be given next week.

GRANGE NEWS

FRANKLIN GRANGE
Franklin Grange held its regular meeting Saturday evening, Oct. 16, with W. M. Claude Cashman in the chair. As it was Gentlemen's Night the brothers held all the offices. The Lecturer gave the following program:

Reading, encore, Ned Swan
Reading, encore, John Howe
Music, Grange Quartet
Reading, encore, Colby Ring

Purpose of the Farm Bureau.
G. W. Q. Perkins

Debater: Resolved that the brothers are more benefit to the Grange than the sisters. Affirmative, G. W. Q. Perkins. Negative, Hanno Cashman, followed by others. Decided in favor of the negative.

It was voted to have a "bee" on Saturday, Oct. 23, to clean out the cellars on the Cashman place, hoping it will encourage him to rebuild. A picnic dinner is to be carried. If Saturday is rainy it will be the following Monday.

Three candidates were favorably balloted on. Degrees will be given in the afternoon Saturday, Nov. 6.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT

The October term of the Supreme Judicial Court opened at South Paris on Tuesday, Oct. 12. The docket was read in the forenoon. After a few preliminary motions and adjustments of cases, upon motion of Hon. John P. Swasey, the afternoon session was given over to memorial services for the three dead members of the Oxford Bar Association: James S. Wright, John A. Roberts and Thomas S. Bridgman. Harry M. Shaw, Judge Charles F. Whitman, Hon. Alton C. Wheeler, A. E. Stearns and Hon. John P. Swasey spoke briefly in memory of Mr. Wright. Colonel A. J. Stearns and George A. Hutchins spoke in memory of Mr. Roberts. Hon. John P. Swasey spoke in memory of Mr. Bridgman.

The following is the list of grand jurors:

Sumner G. Bean, Albany.
William H. Berry, Fryeburg.
H. Walter Brown, Norway.
Robert D. Crockett, Woodstock.
Thomas Cunningham, Peru.
Irving S. French, Bethel.
Raymond D. Garland, Porter.
C. M. Howe, Rumford.
Addison Millett, Waterford.
Frank Nottage, Paris.
M. A. Paine, Newry.
Ralph D. Thurston, Andover.
C. F. Tripp, Canton.
Merton A. Warren, Buckfield.
Manard M. Wentworth, Denmark.
Leslie G. Wellman, Mexico.
A. Chester Witham, Oxford.

Grand jury finished late Wednesday afternoon. The following indictments are made public:

Henry Estys, Porter. Breaking, entering and larceny.
Llewellyn A. Buck, Milton Plantation. Breaking, entering and larceny.
Dominique Youkins, Rumford. Breaking, entering and larceny.
Charles Smith and Helen Smith, Oxford. Larceny.
John Brassette and Henry Brassette, Oxford. Larceny.
William H. Dunsmoor, Mexico. Assault and battery.
Edward Gill and Alfred Hartam, Bethel. Breaking, entering and larceny.
Roy Yeorgles, Bethel. Breaking, entering and larceny.
Clifford Reil, Mexico. Malicious mischief.
Edward M. Groat, Rumford. Carrying concealed weapons.
Henry Taylor, Bangor. Carrying concealed weapon.
Charles Silver, Woodstock. Assault and battery.
Frank Walsh, Fitchburg, Mass. Assault and battery.
Charles Smith, Mexico. Assault with intent to kill.
H. E. Wheeler, Shelburne, N. H. Malfeasance.
Helen Smith, Mexico. Assault with intent to kill.
Alfred L. Gauthier and Josephine Goodrich, Rumford. Adultery.
F. L. Ordway and C. W. Whitman, Gilead. Malfeasance.
Percy W. Martin, Denmark. Desecration.

The traverse jurors were impaneled as follows:

FIRST JURY
Ernest J. Record, Paris, (Foreman.)
Carl Churchhill, Buckfield.
Arthur Gilman, Porter.
Wallace Hazelton, Sumner.
S. F. Heald, Lovell.
Harris Holman, Dixfield.
F. P. Howard, Rumford.
S. E. Shackley, Canton.
H. Lowell Shaw, Peru.
Elmer Walker, Fryeburg.
Marshall E. Wentworth, Denmark.
Henry B. Bartlett, Brownfield.

SECOND JURY
H. P. Andrews, Norway, (Foreman.)
J. Holton Abbott, Andover.
Charles B. Bean, Hiram.
E. E. Bennett, Bethel.
Frank Doolley, Paris.
P. O. Eaton, Rumford.
A. E. George, Hebron.
E. T. Roberts, Greenwood.
George Rogers, Mexico.
Lee M. Rowe, Woodstock.
Walter A. Sampson, Stow.
Wesley Wheeler, Bethel.

The following jurors were excused from serving:

Frank E. Bean, Oxford.
Joseph Hart, Lincoln Plantation.
W. A. Hersey, Norway.
Adner D. Howard, Hartford.
H. W. Whitney, Upton.
George P. Hilton, Waterford.

The first case for the jury was put on Wednesday morning.

In the case of Mrs. Nellie Kelley vs. Zephoria Thibodeau, she was awarded damages in the sum of \$4,500.87, and her husband the sum of \$2,251.17. This case was for injuries received when an automobile owned by Mr. Thibodeau

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OXFORD COUNTY SCOUT COUNCIL

The organization meeting of the Oxford County Council of the Boy Scouts at South Paris last Friday evening was well attended. Eight towns were represented among the delegates. The following officers were chosen:

President—John E. Stephens, Rumford.

Vice-Presidents—Wm. J. Upton, Bethel; L. M. Carroll, Norway; P. J. McCarthy, Rumford.

Sec.—Walter L. Gray, So. Paris.

Treas.—H. C. Rowe, Bethel.

These, with representatives from other towns, constitute the executive committee.

Hugh Pendexter, of Norway was elected Scout Commissioner and Charles L. Pollard of Bethel, who has been doing voluntary Scout work in this vicinity for several years, was appointed as the Scout Executive. He will visit all the towns from time to time, organizing new troops and securing leadership.

Bethel has not yet raised its quota for the annual budget of the Council. Those who are interested in this important work for boys are invited to send subscriptions to Mr. Rowe.

IN MEMORIAM

For many months Bear River Grange has gathered together as brothers and sisters for work, and there has been no vacant chair, but now our Heavenly Father has called unto Himself our sister, Mrs. Nora Thomas.

We extend our deepest sympathy to the family and may our Heavenly Father comfort them.

"I cannot say, and I will not say That she is dead,—She is just away."

"With a cheery smile and a wave of the hand, She has wandered into an unknown land,

"And left us dreaming how very It needs must be, since she lingers there."

"And yes—O you, who the wildest years For the old-time step and the glad return,—

Think of her faring on, as dear In the love of There as the love of Here."

May our charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days, this epitaph to the memory of our Sister be engraved upon our Grange Record, also one sent to the Oxford County Citizen and to the Rumford Falls Times for publication and a copy sent to the bereaved family.

Fraternally submitted,
MRS. SUSAN WIGHT,
MRS. MAUDE BAILEY,
MRS. NELLIE HOLE.

GOULD'S ACADEMY

Adelaide Russell, '21, was a recent guest of friends in Portland.

Louise Stewart, '22, has returned to school after a few weeks' absence due to illness.

An Academy Glee Club is being organized under the able direction of Mr. Charles Pollard, a former sub master of the institution.

The Y. M. C. A. at Gould's is being reorganized. Several are showing an active interest in this organization and many new members are assured.

At the weekly meeting of the Y. W. C. A., at Holden Hall, Tuesday afternoon, Miss Rosamond Grover gave a talk on, "The Use of the Bible."

At a meeting of the Undergraduate Association on Monday, Oct. 18, the following officers were elected:

President—Walter Rand, '21.
Vice-Pres.—Edward Hanson, '22.
Secretary—Miss Litchfield.
Treasurer—Vivian Wright, '21.
Auditor—Mr. Swasey.

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Each word more than 25: One week, 1 cent and each additional week, 1/2 cent.

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EDGAR A. HALL, Optometrist,
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Mechanic Falls, Me.

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A limited amount of green unpeeled second growth poplar, white maple and beech for pulpwood to be cut four foot in length and down to five inches at top end. Write for prices.

F. B. PENLEY,
9-16-3m
West Paris, Maine

NOTICE

I have started my elder mill. Will pay \$1.00 a hundred pounds for apples. Will run three weeks.

JAMES WILKS,
10-7-31-p
Bethel, Maine.

NOTICE

I will start my elder mill Saturday and will run it on Saturdays only.

WALTER VALENTINE
10-14-21-p
Bethel Maine

NOTICE

Until further notice my store will be closed Wednesday and Thursday nights at 7.30 o'clock.

W. A. BRAGG,
10-20-31
Bethel, Maine

MATCHED CALVES

For sale—two good cows and one pair of matched calves. Inquire of JOHN C. ANDERSON, Riverdale Farm, Bethel, Maine

FOR SALE
Two sets double harness. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire of D. W. CUSHING,
10-21-31
R. F. D. 4, Bethel, Maine

FOR SALE OR TRADE
A good new painted surrey with pole and yoke, one two seated beach wagon, a nice upholstered sleigh and road cart. Will trade for stock or Ford runabout, also guns to let or sell.

C. C. BRYANT,
10-21-31
Bethel, Maine

LOST

On the road at Bretton Woods on Thursday Oct. 14, a pointed fox neck piece. Finder will be liberally rewarded by notifying the Oxford County Citizen, Bethel, Maine.

FARM TO LET
35 acres of intervals, 15 of upland. Stock and farming tools included. Inquire of J. V. BURNHAM,
10-21-31
R. F. D. 2, Bethel, Me.

The Credit Collection Alliance of New Haven, Conn. wishes to employ a local collector for Bethel and vicinity to assist our attorneys. Good salary paid. Bond required. Address CREDIT COLLECTION ALLIANCE, 812 Moley Building, New Haven, Conn.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 21, 1920.

NORWAY

Mrs. Charles E. Johnston of Portland, N. H., has been a guest of her brother, Dr. Fred B. Drake.

Mrs. Ellen Millett and Mrs. Lyman Chapman of Portland were recent guests of Mrs. C. G. Blake.

Mrs. John F. Horne was up from Portland last week to visit her sisters, Mrs. Frank Cox and Miss Ella Noyes. Arthur Tracy has gone to New Hampshire for the winter.

Mrs. Wilbur M. Tucker and son, Clarence, were in Auburn one day last week.

Mrs. Arthur E. Benson and sister, Miss Ella Wright, of Meredith, N. H., were guests of Mrs. Chas. G. Blake last week.

Mrs. Carrie Philbrook of Center Conway, N. H., has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sumner Parker, for the past two weeks.

Mrs. Albin Duck recently visited relatives in Kennelbunk.

Mrs. and Mrs. Chester Wakefield of Rochester, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren of Center Conway, N. H., were guests of Mrs. Sumner Parker last week.

Richard Lasselle of Grafton, Howard Lasselle of Bath and Harry Lasselle of Boston were recent guests of their mother, Mrs. F. Briggs.

Miss Ruth Carroll spent a few days in Springvale last week.

Mrs. Emma Kennedy, who has been visiting in Waldoboro several weeks, is now with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Vivian W. Hill.

Mrs. Emma Paine of Worcester, Mass., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hitchins.

Harry Ross W. B. C. has received an invitation to attend a campfire at Oxford on Thursday of this week. The invitation has been accepted and a delegation will be sent.

Mrs. Herbert Fox of Melrose Highlands, Mass., has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Martina Richardson.

Mrs. Rosanna Merrill and Mrs. Marietta E. Packard of Mechanic Falls were in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Ella Marston of North Waterford was in town a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Card and children have moved to No. Waterford.

Rev. M. O. Hatter preached in the Congregational church at Bethel, Sunday.

Ramuel Moore of Gilead was a recent

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed, you have a running or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; also cases out of ten are caused by catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

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Rev. C. J. Cassidy was at Poland Spring last week attending the annual retreat of the Catholic clergy of the diocese.

Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Durkee of Bethel were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank DeCoster.

Rally services in the Universalist church have been postponed on account of the illness of the pastor, Rev. Chester G. Miller.

Miss Dorothy J. Truman has returned from a visit in Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Hilton of East Waterford were in Norway one day last week.

Miss Sylvia Taylor was a guest of Mrs. Grace Ethridge in Wilton last week.

Mrs. William Stanton was a guest at H. H. Hastings' in Bethel last week.

Miss Lucy Hall of Farmington, who has been visiting at David Flood's, has gone to Holster's Mills for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovejoy and Miss Charlotte Lovejoy took a trip through Grafton last week.

Roy Bradbury of Buckfield was in town on business one day last week.

Mrs. Howard Baker and daughter of Rumford Point were in town recently.

John A. Barnes has entered Colby College.

Mrs. Nellie Welch, who has spent the summer here with her son, Arthur W. Welch, has returned to her home in Auburn.

Arthur Descoteau received a broken collar bone and fractured arm while practicing football at Bates College last week.

Mrs. Gertrude Barker has been a recent guest of her father, A. J. Holden, in Oxford.

Word was received Thursday night of the arrival of a daughter in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis at Milford, Mass. Thursday forenoon. Mrs. Davis was formerly Miss Madeline Pridie of Norway.

The junior class of the high school enjoyed an outing at Freeman's Point at the lake side the past week. A big bonfire was built where frankforts were roasted, and with a picnic supper was most enjoyable.

Farmers are busy with apple picking, where there are any to pick.

John Beaulieu, Grand Trunk agent at Norway station for the past three years,

has accepted a position at Conitcook, Que., and will leave when the relieving agent arrives. Mr. Beaulieu will have supervision of ten men at the Conitcook station.

Mrs. A. E. K. Grover is managing the Direct Importing store at Winthrop.

An automobile party including Mrs. Emma Cullinan, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newcomb, Mrs. Walter Luek and Mrs. Gertrude Libby returned home Thursday night from a five days trip to Canada, through New Hampshire, Vermont and New York.

Miss Mildred Curtis received a pair of wooden shoes from Rotterdam, Holland last week, such as are worn by the natives.

FLYING DUST AND A SPARK PRODUCE COSTLY EXPLOSIONS

The placid grist mill may be as dangerous as a powder factory. The strongest and most perfectly fireproofed grain elevator may be rent into twisted trusses from the explosion of mere dust particles. A spark from a slipping belt, the static electricity generated by a running machine, or the heat generated in a coating of dust on the outside of an incandescent light bulb may start the blast.

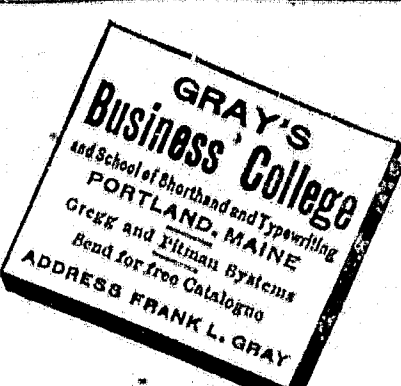
Such catastrophes have been numerous in the last two years. In a single nine months they cost 80 human lives and the destruction of \$7,000,000 in property. The United States Department of Agriculture, through the dust-explosion investigations of the Bureau of Chemistry, has succeeded in locating the trouble and has set in motion agencies which already have checked the epidemic of disaster. It is cultivating the cooperation of manufacturers and commercial bodies throughout the United States to make the work complete.

The engineer in charge of grain-dust explosion investigations in the Bureau of Chemistry appeared before the National Safety Council Congress in Milwaukee September 29 and gave the members some of the practical results of the work of himself and collaborators.

The work is described at length in the proceedings of a conference of men engaged in the grain-dust explosion and fire-prevention campaign conducted in co-operation with the United States Grain Corporation, which is available for distribution by the Bureau of Chemistry, United States Department of Agriculture.

INFANTILE PARALYSIS IN MAINE

Twelve cases of poliomyelitis, or infantile paralysis, have been reported from ten Maine towns to the State Department of Health since September 1, eight of them during September and four new cases since the beginning of October, a week ago. These are practically the first reports of the disease in Maine in 1920 and while far from indicating an epidemic, have put the health authorities on their guard, especially in view of the fact that in several sister states infantile paralysis is now prevalent in alarming proportions.



The towns from which the disease has been reported are Cranberry Isle with three cases, one of which resulted, in death, Eastport, Bangor, Waterville, Ellsworth, Rumford, Wiscasset, Winslow, Scarborough and Bowdoin, with one case each. Reports thus far show that the coast towns are most seriously affected which leads to the possible conclusion that infantile paralysis this year was brought to Maine by summer visitors.

Dr. Leverett D. Bristol, State Commissioner of Health, who has taken the situation in hand, has made a special study of infantile paralysis, and in 1917 was connected with the Harvard Infantile Paralysis Commission and with the Massachusetts State Department of Health in research and investigation concerning this disease. With Dr. A. G. Young, Director of the Division of Communicable Diseases, and the health officers in the field, the Commissioner is taking every precaution to prevent the development of an epidemic in this state.

In addition to the watchfulness which is being exerted in the present situation, the commissioner has plans underway for the establishment of free clinics about the state for the treatment of former and possible future epidemics of infantile paralysis victims and hopes to secure from the legislature this winter sufficient funds to put this plan into operation. At such clinics free scientific treatment would be given the patients with the aim of helping them to recover from deformities which result from this disease.

The first step in this plan has been the sending out of the following letter to all local health officers in Maine by Dr. Young.

"This year we have been fortunate in having only a few cases of poliomyelitis in this state. It was far different in our two epidemic years, 1910, and 1916. Of the children and older persons who suffered an attack of this disease in these or other years, it is likely that there is a large number who are still afflicted with the sequels of the disease, paralysis of some of their muscles and the deformities which result from such weakened and paralyzed muscles.

This Department hopes to arrange for the treatment of these unfortunate. We are therefore asking you to collect and transmit to this office information about any cases in your town who are suffering from paralysis or deformity resulting from an attack of poliomyelitis. We would thank you if you learn of such unfortunate to get the information called for in the following questions.

Name of the patient?
Age as far as you can learn or judge?
Address of patient (parents or guardians if a minor)?
Year in which the person had the attack of poliomyelitis?
If you know of any such cases outside of your town, kindly give us a clue to them and as much information as you can."

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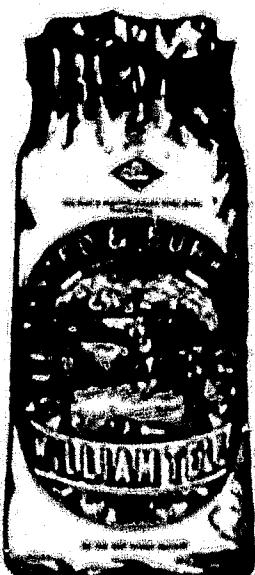
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SCHOOL AND HOME

Better Health and Mental Work Come in the Wake of School Lunches

Nellie Wing Farnsworth

If properly conducted, the advantages of the school lunch are important and its influence is far reaching.

1. The health of the children will be improved. New York City experiments show that the planned school lunch far surpassed the unplanned one in the amount of nutrients for the same money.

Pupils will be taught to eat slowly and thoroughly masticate their food. When they eat alone or in groups they are so eager to begin their play that the food is bolted or eaten too hastily to allow thorough mastication. Such hasty eating will cause a deranged digestion and consequent ill health.

2. Better mental work will result. It is too much to expect children to be mentally alert on a diet that is unwholesome and indigestible.

3. By eating together at table, conversation during the meal is directed into proper channels by the teacher in charge. The teacher, of course, always should preside.

4. In talking together at table children learn to express themselves more readily; even the most bashful child may be drawn into the conversation after a time. He learns thus, the art of being a good "mixer," to be able to converse easily with others.

5. Manners at table will be improved. In the hurry of everyday life, especially when the mother is overworked, the little courtesies are often neglected. Children should form correct habits of eating, learn to remain at table until everyone has finished and is ready to leave. They should learn to be considerate of one another. The teacher can strengthen the home teaching in this respect and help those whose training in these matters has been neglected.

6. School attendance will be improved. Experience has shown that children do not want to miss the good times the lunch hour affords.

7. High ideals are formed. Ideals of food containing the proper elements and balance of good cooking, of sanitation, of correct table service and of home life may be established if the teacher grasps her opportunities.

8. Pupils will learn the dignity of labor. Added dignity is given to the mother's work in the home when the children see that the teacher is willing to cook, wash dishes and sweep the floors.

9. Useful knowledge is gained. Besides having stories told at the table, the teacher may often direct attention to the foods that are served. The history of rice, the manufacture of macaroni or the production of cocoa may be made most interesting as well as instructive. Pupils may use, later on in their compositions, the information thus gained. The value of system, the cost and selection of foods may be discussed.

10. Mothers will take more pains in putting up the lunch which is brought from home when they know that it is to be exhibited before the other pupils as well as the teacher. While the country child always has an abundance of food he often suffers from malnutrition because he does not eat the proper foods. More pains should be taken with the lunch basket. It should contain sandwiches, jelly, custard, cookies, fruit and often a few lumps of sugar. Sandwiches may be made of either grain or white bread with a filling of cheese, meat, eggs, lettuce and salad dressing, jam or dates and nuts. If cold meat or baked beans form a part of the lunch, the sandwiches should be plain. Children should drink neither tea nor coffee but milk, water or cocoa. Even cocoa should not be served every day as it proves a stimulant to many children.

Mothers will be lead to study these questions in their local clubs and thus learn what should be put into the lunch box to supplement the dish provided at school.

11. The school lunch will prove the connecting link between the home and school. Mothers will be deeply interested in the teacher and her work when they realize that the teacher is co-operating in the feeding of the child and in his training in home affairs.

The equipment necessary for preparing one warm dish at school need not be expensive. The following utensils will prove sufficient in the preparation of a variety of dishes and may be purchased at any hardware store.

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| 1 Two-burner blue flame oil stove, | \$3.25 |
| 1 Portable oven, | 3.25 |
| 1 Frying pan, | 40 |
| 2 Granite kettles, | 80 |
| 1 Sieve, | 10 |
| 2 Aluminum tablespoons, | 10 |
| 1 Steel knife, | 10 |
| 2 Aluminum teaspoons, | 10 |
| 2 Asbestos mats, | 10 |
| 2 Granite basins, | 40 |
| 1 Egg beater, | 25 |
| 1 Dish pan, | 50 |
| 1 Draining pan, | 30 |
| 1 Two-quart double boiler, | 1.75 |

Total, \$11.50

In addition to these utensils two cupboards made from packing boxes, a shelf for general supplies, a work table and dishes for the dining table will be needed.

The next question is: How may this equipment be secured?

One rural teacher had a "shower." She first went to a store in town and selected the necessary utensils with a view to having them match and be attractive for the schoolroom. She then sent invitations to all mothers and women interested in the school, inviting them for a social afternoon and asking that each one bring with her one or more of the utensils which had been selected at the store. All needed material was provided, and every one present at the "shower" became thoroughly acquainted with the purpose of the school lunch.

In another case the needed funds for the lunch equipment were raised by giving a school entertainment. In a third instance a basket social provided ample funds. In many cases when the subject was properly presented, the school board has gladly furnished the equipment.

The cupboards may be made by some of the boys who are handy with tools. The packing boxes should be covered with oilcloth tacked securely in place with brass headed tacks. White curtains of scrim should cover the opening, not only to give a neat appearance but to keep the dishes free from dust. Doors or some other tightly fitting cover will keep out dust better and save the trouble of washing the curtains.

A shelf may be put up for the general supplies and it too should be covered with white oilcloth so that it can be easily wiped and kept clean. A drop shelf, fastened to the wall with hinges and supplied with two strong supports when raised, will furnish a work table which can easily be put out of the way when not in use.

For the table utensils, each child should bring his own plate, glass, cup, saucer, spoon, knife and fork from home and leave them for the year.

Perhaps the dining table will furnish the most perplexing problem. A long plank neatly covered with white oilcloth may be used. It should be placed in the aisle, supported at each end on boxes. The pupils can sit in the seats on each side facing the aisle; or, pupils may be served at their seats, using the desk for a table.

The lunch which is brought from home may be packed in folding paper boxes which can be purchased cheaply and thrown away. The regular tin lunch is good and better than a basket in that it can be kept scrupulously clean by scalding with boiling water.

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CANTON

Miss Nina Russell of Portland has been spending a few days with her father, A. F. Russell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Swasey Wadlin of Boston are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, last month.

Mrs. Alice F. Walker of New York is spending her vacation with her mother, Mrs. Mary E. French and daughter, Mrs. J. F. Hollis. The family have been enjoying an auto trip through the White Mountains.

Miss Ruth Johnson is teaching school in the Wyman district, holding but one session a day.

Carl Small has gone to Stratton to clerk in a store.

Wm. R. Robinson, who served in the U. S. Navy for several years, has received an honorable discharge on account of an injury to his right hand while on duty in a storm at sea, and returned home. He will be employed on the farm of W. L. York and has moved his family there.

Mrs. David Freeman is gaining from her recent illness.

A harvest supper was held at the vestry of the Universalist church, Friday, by the Circle, which was well patronized.

Walter Barton has returned to his home in Somerville, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Carver and family who have been spending the summer at "Hersdale," have returned to their home in Brookline, Mass.

A. F. Russell, Mrs. Mary Russell, Ethel Russell and Mrs. Anna Dalley attended Pomona Grange at Rumford center, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Menall are on an auto trip to Massachusetts and to Salem Depot, N. H.

Edwin Staples has gone to the Fairfield sanatorium for treatment.

C. Fred Tripp has been attending Court at South Paris as Grand Juror and Samuel E. Shackley as Traverser Juror.

Mareo Lavorgna of Fitzdale, Vt., has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lavorgna.

Mrs. A. H. Adams has been visiting her brother, Charles Adams of East Wilton.

Henry Richards has sold his trotting horse, "Earl Jr.," and has purchased "Bella Trinity."

Wm. Francis of Farmington has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel T. Hayden.

Mrs. A. G. Rich has been quite ill.

Mrs. J. P. Swasey is recovering nicely from the operation upon her eye at the Eye and Ear Infirmary, Portland. Albert H. Adams and friends from Farmington and Wilton are on their annual hunting trip to Bigelow.

Ponemah Robekah Lodge will hold its annual roll call on Friday evening, Oct. 22. All members are requested to be present.

B. A. Swasey and family have gone to Saratoga, N. Y.

A post card shower was given Mrs. Martha Hathaway on her birthday from her many friends which was much appreciated and gave her much pleasure.

Miss Madeline Hines has gone to Bliss Business College.

Mrs. Mary Russell of Leeds has been a guest of A. F. Russell and daughter, Ethel.

Mrs. Helen M. Mitchell has been spending a few days in Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Butterfield and children attended the marriage of their eldest son, Ralph Butterfield to Miss Susie Penley at Rumford Center last week. Hollis Butterfield was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry T. Tirrell and Mary Sheehan are spending a few weeks at South Paris, where Mr. Tirrell is doing carpenter work.

Mrs. Iola Leavitt has moved to Dix field, her son, Fred Ellis, has arrived from Waltham, Mass. and will make his home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurie Poland have been enjoying an auto trip to Bangor, where they spent a few days.

John Tripp has returned home from Cumberland where he has been employed the past summer by Mr. Moulton.

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes has gone to Gray to make a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. U. O. Hayford have started on their return trip to Sacramento, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Childs and Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Harper and chauffeur of Wed were Sunday guests of Miss Carrie F. Hayford and Ann F. Hayford.

A. W. Ellis has purchased a house at West Sumner.

T. D. W. Stetson of Hartford is in very poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Stevens of Orr's Island are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gammon and family.

RICHARDSON-DAVENPORT

The marriage of Henry Franklin Richardson and Miss Wilma Frances Davenport, both of Canton, was solemnized at South Paris, Wednesday forenoon, Oct. 13, 1920, the birthday anniversary of the bride. Rev. Chester Gore Miller was the officiating clergyman, the double ring service was used.

The bride was given in blue messaline and georgette and her traveling suit was blue with hat to match. After the ceremony the happy couple left

F. S. ADAMS ANNOUNCES HIS CANDIDACY FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE

In announcing my candidacy for Commissioner of Agriculture, it is only fair, especially to the incoming legislature, that I state what has been accomplished in the divisions which I have had the pleasure of representing during the time that our late Commissioner of Agriculture, Hon. J. A. Roberts, held the office, and up to the present time. But I will be very brief in this statement of past performances, for I well know that if a man has made good in any line of work he does not have to go out and tell the public about it. The people usually estimate a man for about what he is worth.

It is just that I should also make a statement of the platform on which I stand should I be elected Commissioner of Agriculture.

During Mr. Roberts' first term as Commissioner from 1913 to 1915 I had charge of the dairy work, this position being known as "Dairy Instructor." In these two years I organized five cow test associations and six livestock breeders' associations, and when I left the office at the close of Mr. Roberts' first term there were seven active cow test associations and ten active livestock breeders' associations in this state.

In 1917 I was appointed Chief of the Division of Markets, which position I am still holding. Believing that the only way to solve the market problems was by organizing the farmers into market groups, representing the products of their farms rather than localities, the most of my activities have been along the lines of organization work. New organizations which have been established during this period are: New England Milk Producers' Association, Arrostook Federation of Farmers, Sweet Corn Growers' Association, and the Sheep and Wool Growers' Association. Also, the Farmers' Union and Farmers' Union Grain and Supply Company have been organized and consolidated under the latter name, being now a strictly cooperative, profit-sharing corporation. There have also been some twenty new farmers' union locals organized, and the locals already existing have shown a marked increase in membership. This is true of the Fruit Growers' Association which has also been very successful in handling the products of its members. I have also helped in establishing a paper known as "The Organized Farmer." This paper is to be the organ, or mouthpiece, of all the farm organizations in the state.

During the war I also served on the State Committee for Food Production and was Agricultural Advisor for Employment Board number one, with headquarters at the State House.

Last February direct cooperation was established between the Division of Markets of the Maine Department of Agriculture and the Federal Bureau of Markets. C. M. White of the Division of Markets came under the joint pay of the Federal Bureau of Markets and the State of Maine, with a Federal title of Agent of Marketing, U. S. D. A. This is a distinct value to our state, not only financially, but in other benefits of far more importance. Experts on wool grading, livestock marketing, dairy markets, fruit and vegetable markets, business practice and accounting, forms of cooperative organizations, and many other lines connected with marketing are always ready to answer specific questions and furnish advice. Anyone desiring further information as to the activities of the Division of Markets can secure it in the June, 1920 bulletin of the Department of Agriculture.

As to the future, while there can be no set or fixed rules which apply to farms or farming, for every farm is a problem in itself, there are certain fundamental principles which apply to agriculture in general, and, as I see them, they are:

First, that the prosperity of Maine depends on a prosperous agriculture more than any other condition;

Second, that to have a prosperous agriculture the primary requisite is that it must be profitable to its patrons when conducted efficiently;

Third, a prosperous agriculture usually means larger production per unit—larger producing animals, and more fertile acres. With scrub stock and poor land a prosperous agriculture is impossible, and in connection with the best

on an auto trip to parts unknown.

Mr. Richardson is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Richardson of Canton. He acquired his education in the Canton schools and is a graduate of Bliss Business College. He is associated with his father at Maine's popular summer resort, Pinewood Camp. For the past two years he has spent the winter months in New York and Boston as an accountant for the firm of Price, Waterhouse Co., of New York.

The bride is the only daughter of Mrs. Elmo Davenport and the late John Davenport. She is a graduate of Buckfield High School and has been a successful school teacher for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Richardson will be at home in Canton after Nov. 1st. They were recipients of many nice gifts which included an oil portrait of the bride, a gift of Mr. Richardson's aunt, Miss Mary N. Richardson, of Boston.

Alumni in Movement for Expansion of Holy Cross

WITH Holy Cross College, one of the oldest institutions of higher education in New England, closing its doors to scores of students every year because of inability to make room for them, alumni and former students of the college are sponsoring a movement for the expansion of the school by the erection of five new buildings on the campus at Worcester, Mass.

The movement took form at a reunion of alumni and former students at the college Labor Day. A realization of the crisis faced by the school came when it was learned that hallways now are being used as classrooms, dormitories are crowded to the limit of comfort, not a room in the college is large enough to hold its student body assembled, and last July it was necessary to halt enrollments for the present term. With this knowledge, the former students decided to open the way for an expansion of the college.

A new students' dormitory, a science and lecture hall, an assembly and dining hall, an administration building and a new chapel are the contemplated improvements. The additions will permit the school to increase its yearly enrollments to 1,000.

Holy Cross College was founded in 1843 and has grown steadily since that date. It has sought from the start to keep its doors open at all times to the youth of meager means. Although most colleges and universities have been forced, because of increased costs and advances in salaries of faculty members, to increase their tuition fees,

farm animals, productive fields and fruitful orchards there should be proper channels for the marketing of the products of the farm. It is not good business for any group of men to set up a profit-making agency and have the sole power to say how much that profit should be between the farms and the markets. The producers themselves should have something to say about the prices their products are sold for in the markets.

Either by collective bargaining organizations, like the New England Milk Producers' Association, or by owning some of the market agencies, like the Fruit Growers' Association or the Arrostook Federation of Farmers, it has been demonstrated all over the Country especially by the fruit growers of the West, that this policy is economically sound as it gives the farmers a living price for their crops, in many instances without increasing the price to the consumers.

If I should be elected Commissioner of Agriculture, I shall do everything possible to improve and promote the marketing agencies owned and controlled by the farmers.

Fourth, the Commissioner of Agriculture, before establishing any new divisions and agencies or asking the state for increased appropriations, should see to it that the agencies already existing which are supported or subsidized by the state are doing efficient work to improve and promote agriculture—in the language of the street, that "they are on their job."

Fifth, there should be the same standard for a day's labor on the farm as there is for the mechanic and laborer in the cities. We all know that farming cannot be conducted by working eight hours a day, but the income of the farmer should be enough so that the man and his family can have pay for his overtime the same as overtime is paid for by other industries.

Sixth, the income of the farm under present management should be sufficient to enable farm homes to have the same conveniences which are enjoyed in the homes of the mechanics and artisans in the cities.

Seventh, the water powers of the state should be developed either by the state or private corporations, so that the farmers could have electricity for light and power at a reasonable price. This would do as much as any one thing I know of to help develop the agricultural interests of the state.

Eighth, if manufactured products are to be protected against foreign competition, agricultural products should be fully as well protected.

Ninth, while working in cooperation for financial benefits, it should not be forgotten that there should be a cooperative state in this connection.



FATHER CARLIN, PRESIDENT OF HOLY CROSS

in some cases to \$1,000 and \$1,200. Holy Cross has kept its combined tuition and boarding fee at \$400. This is largely due to the fact that its faculty serves without pay.

The stress placed by educators on the menace to the entire system of Christian education in just such crises as that faced by Holy Cross also has spurred the college's alumni to take definite action looking to an extension of the moral training carried on at the school. Alumni organizations throughout the country have endorsed the movement and plans for the expansion are rapidly taking form.

Tenth, there should be a more complete federation of all the agricultural associations and organizations. This would mean more efficient work and less duplication of effort.

Eleventh, a public office is a public trust. The office of the Commissioner of Agriculture should be administered with the idea of utmost efficiency, and the public should be informed at all times as much as possible as to the activities of the department, thereby establishing confidence and cooperation which only come through reliable information.

Before closing, I want to say a few things in a general way. There is no department which charges such responsibility as the State and Federal Departments of Agriculture. Agriculture is the basic foundation of prosperity in this country. When agriculture begins to decline it is the beginning of the end in any country. There can be no question but that the agriculture of the United States, especially in New England, is on the decline. It can only be arrested by an awakened interest on the part of the public.

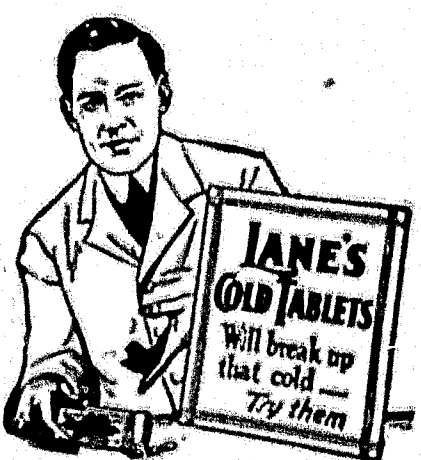
The farmer should be represented on all commissions and committees that have to do with public matters, as much as other interests or professions. Agricultural interests should be better represented in Congress and State Legislatures. Conditions of honor and trust should be opened to young men on the farm just as fully as to young men in the cities. You cannot expect young men to take kindly to an occupation which by its own acts discredits itself.

I have the endorsement of Dr. Leon S. Merrill, Dean of the College of Agriculture, Dr. Charles D. Woods, Director of the Experiment Station, Secretary, Lecturer and Executive Committee of the State Grange, all the directors and officers of the Farmers' Union, the Officers and manager of the Arrostook Federation of Farmers, officers of the Sweet Corn Growers' Association, all the county presidents in Maine of the New England Milk Producers' Association, president of the state federation of farm bureaus, and many prominent farmers in different parts of Maine. All I ask of the incoming legislature is that they satisfy themselves as to my qualifications for the office, and that they listen to what the agricultural interests of the state want in this connection.

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Miss Harriet Gilley was in Boston, recently.

Mr. Ira Jordan, who has been ill, is improving.

Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Cutler have returned home.

Mr. William McKay has completed the duties in the store of Fylen Rowe & Son.

George and Minnie Jones and Miss Brown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Clark this week.

Six members of Brown Belief Corp. attended the 18th of Instruction at Mechanics Falls, Tuesday.

Mrs. Verna Howe Hesse of Rumford is the guest of Rev. J. H. Little and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Harbank.

Judge A. E. Herrick, E. C. Park, Esq., and H. H. Hastings, Esq., attended court at North Paris, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hastings and son, Henry, Jr., visited Mrs. Hastings' aunt, Mrs. Locke, at Norway, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler and son, Earl, also Mr. Lloyd Linton and Miss Irene Merrill are enjoying an outing at Fyten this week.

Mrs. Harriet Twaddle, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. O. H. Brown at Augusta, and her son, Dr. Ward Twaddle at Auburn, has returned home, accompanied by Dr. Ward Twaddle.

Miss Marion Hutchins was in Norway, Saturday.

Miss Adelaide Ramsell spent the week end in Portland.

Miss Mary Robertson spent the week end at her home in Newry.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mason of South Paris were guests of Mrs. O. M. Mason, on Saturday.

Mrs. Emma Howe and Mrs. Charles Burdette of Rumford called on Mrs. O. M. Mason, Saturday.

Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Wight accompanied Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Wight to Gorham, N. H., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Richardson left this week for Pinchburg, N. C., where they will spend the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carter left Saturday for Boston, where Mrs. Carter will resume her dancing classes.

Miss Abbie Toell, who has been in Bethel several weeks, has returned to her home in Fall River, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Durkee have returned from Portsmouth, N. H., where they have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Durell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Davis of Rumford were guests of W. P. Clark the first of the week. They all enjoyed a trip to Berry N. H., and back to Bethel by way of Portland.

Mr. Hansmann has closed her home and returned to New York.

The W. C. T. U. met with Mrs. Frank Randall, Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. Chester Howe was a business visitor in Portland, N. H., Tuesday.

Mr. E. C. Park was a business visitor in South Paris and Portland last week.

Mr. Merton Brackett of Philadelphia has been the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Horace Annas.

Miss Mona Martyn of Norway spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Martyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Richardson of Berlin, N. H., were among the callers on Mrs. O. M. Mason last Saturday.

Mr. Allan Strachan of the Yale & Towne Mfg. Co. was in town Friday to clean and repair the safe in the bank.

Mr. Daniel Brown, who has been the guest of Mr. Carl Brown and family for several weeks, has returned to his home in Harmony, Me.

Miss Belle Purinton left Bethel Monday to go to Manchester by the Sea, Mass., to spend a few weeks with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Purinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Purinton are receiving much sympathy from their friends in the loss of their little son who died at the Beverly Hospital, having lived but five days.

A social dance for the benefit of Alder River Grange will be held at the Grange Hall, East Bethel, Oct. 22. (Good music will be in attendance. Refreshments will be served.)

Tuesday evening, Nov. 2, H. N. Hragdon will run a special movie show, and will also have a waltz in the hall and will give out the election returns as fast as they are received.

Bethel friends of Harold Chandler will be interested to know that he has resigned his position in the Auditors Office of the Newport News, Va., Ship Building and Dry Dock Co., and accepted a position in the bookkeeping department in the First National Bank in Newport News.

BETHEL AND VICINITY

Mr. E. C. Park was in Berlin, Thursday.

Miss Ethel Allen of West Bethel was in town, Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Arno is at the home of Mrs. Harry Jordan.

Mrs. Lennie Howe was in Rumford and Portland last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cash are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Alice Holman.

Judge A. E. Herrick was a business visitor in Portland, Thursday.

Mr. Wm. Bingham and Miss Maria Pease have returned to Bethel.

Mrs. P. B. Clark of Rumford is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Clark.

The Rebekahs will serve a harvest supper at I. O. O. F. Hall, Nov. 3.

Mrs. C. W. Hall spent last week at North Anson as the guest of relatives.

Miss Dorothy Hutchins of Norway spent the week end at her home here.

Miss Edith Ripley is enjoying a vacation from her duties at Bethel Inn.

Mr. Elmer Allen has purchased the Fred J. Tibbets house on Main street.

Mrs. W. H. Hapgood of No. Stratford, N. H., is visiting Mr. L. D. Brown who is ill.

Mr. Millard Clough is moving his family to the Vira Holt house on Mill Hill.

Mrs. W. E. Bosserman and daughter, Mildred, spent a few days in Portland last week.

Mr. T. B. Burk was the week end guest of his brother, M. T. Burk, in Dunsmuir, N. H.

Mrs. Maude Rice of Norway visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bartlett, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hammond of West Paris were callers at Miss L. M. Stearns' last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bartlett are in Livermore Falls visiting their daughter, Mrs. George Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Staples and son, Vernon, and Mrs. Kenney were guests of Mrs. Roscoe Cross, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tyler are visiting Mrs. Tyler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Habideau, in Milan, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Spinney of North Berwick and son from Hebron were guests at I. I. Carver's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Perry were in South Paris last week. They were accompanied by Mr. P. I. Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Jameson Finney of Dixfield and Mrs. Frances Allen of Auburn were callers at P. H. Chapman's last week.

Mrs. Bessie Sloane has returned from Outside Inn, Locke's Mills, where she was the guest of her niece, Mrs. May L. Kimball.

Miss Esther Tyler, who is attending school at Boston University spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tyler.

Mrs. Arthur Wiley of Bar Mills spent last week with her sister, Mrs. F. L. Edwards, and Dr. Wiley came Monday to accompany her home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Chapman and two children and Mrs. Chapman's sister, Mrs. Marion Everett, were in Rumford, Sunday calling on friends.

Mrs. Maude Andrews Lincoln of Wollaston, Mass., and Miss Luella A. Heathby of Melrose, Mass., were week end guests of Mrs. O. M. Mason.

Mrs. Walter Libby of Gorham, N. H., called on Mrs. Lennie Howe, recently, on her way to Biddeford to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow and three children and Mrs. Elta Harnden of South Paris were Sunday callers at the Hapgood farm, making the trip by auto.

Mr. Walter Cross and family of Clarksville, Vt., spent Sunday at the home of his grandmother and aunt, Mrs. Roscoe Cross and Mrs. True Eames.

Mr. Will Hapgood, who has been spending a few days at his home at North Stratford, N. H., has returned to Bethel Inn, where he has employment.

Dr. and Mrs. E. L. Brown and son, Ernest, and Mrs. Thomas Brown and son, Norris, enjoyed an auto trip to No. Stratford, Sunday, and were guests of Dr. Brown's sister.

Mr. Richard Hapgood and wife, Will and Frank, motored from their home at North Stratford, N. H., Monday and were over night guests at the Hapgood farm, returning home Tuesday.

Miss Ernestine Philbrook of Bates College spent the week end at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lyon have moved to their home on Paradise road.

Mrs. Cora Hart, who has been housekeeper, for Mr. Levesque, is to close her labors there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Neal and little son were guests of friends in town the first of the week.

Mrs. L. W. Ramsell and Miss Ida Packard are attending the Rebekah Assembly at Bangor this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Chandler and party from Mexico called upon Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Chandler, Sunday.

Mr. C. W. Hall left last Thursday for Moosehead Lake where he will enjoy an outing with the William Tell Club.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Den Kerkhoven and son, Louis, returned home Tuesday from Boston where they spent a week.

Bethel Grange has received an invitation to meet with Bear River Grange at Newry Corner, Saturday evening, Oct. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kimball and daughter and Mr. Harold Hapgood of Stratford Hollow were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. L. D. Brown.

Mrs. A. W. Arkett and Mary Jane Arkett of Bryant's Pond were guests one day last week at the home of Mrs. Arkett's daughter, Mrs. Sidney Chapman.

Bethel friends will be pleased to know that Miss Marian T. Pratt of Reading, Mass., a former teacher at Gould's Academy, recently invited the Bethel boys and girls who are attending school in Boston to her home where they enjoyed a picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint spent the week end in Portland.

Mr. E. E. Decker of Portland has been spending a few days at the home of Walter Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Hodgdon and Mrs. F. P. Bisbee of Berlin, N. H., called on Mr. L. D. Brown, Monday.

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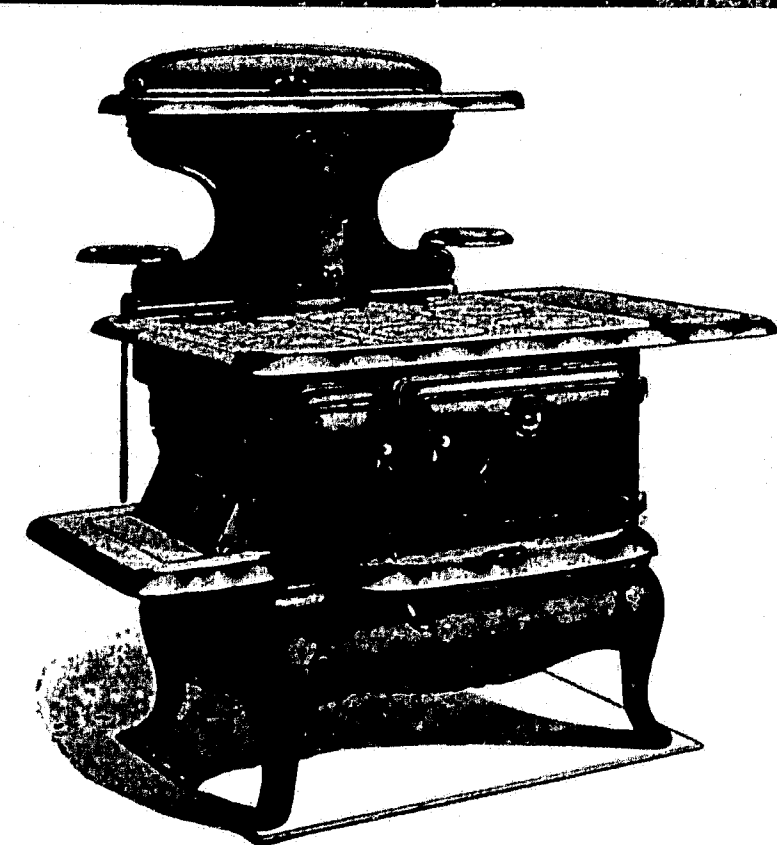
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SUPREME COURT

(Continued from page 1)

and operated by Fred Comeau ran into Mrs. Kelley at Rumford last year and caused injuries which necessitated her remaining in the hospital for five weeks and it was also claimed that because of the injuries she is a permanent invalid. The award to Mr. Kelley was for expenses incurred and for the loss of the society of Mrs. Kelley.

On Thursday morning the case of A. Gauthier & Son vs. Walker D. Hines, Director General of Railroads, as agent designated by the president. This is a suit to recover the cost of tomatoes alleged to have been injured in transportation. The firm above mentioned lives and does business in Rumford. In the fall of 1918 they bought and received a carload of canned tomatoes—1250 cases, at a cost of \$1.50 per dozen cases. This consignment was received the first of November, 1918. On opening the ear the goods were found to be in a damaged condition. They were packed in cartons and in transit water had entered the ear softening the pasteboard of which the cartons were made so that they were broken open. The labels were washed from cans also, and the cans themselves had been thrown about the ear and bruised. They were also musty. Their condition was called to the attention of Arthur P. White, freight agent at Rumford, who told Mr. Gauthier to take such cans as were in good condition and leave the balance with the railroad. He and his son did so and left 305 cases with the railroad. It was for these the Messrs. Gauthier sought compensation.

The railroad took these cases and disposed of them in Portland and tendered the amount received, less expense, to the company, amounting to \$356.89, which the plaintiff contended was not in accordance with the agreement entered into with White, the freight agent, and representative of the government. The verdict was for the plaintiff in the amount of \$357.86.

The next case presented for trial was Warren A. Emery vs. Alonzo P. Chapman for the determination of an alleged unsettled account. It seems Mr. Emery and Mr. Chapman back in 1914 were neighboring farmers in the town of Bethel. In the year mentioned Mr. Emery left his farm to engage in lumbering operations in a different part of the state, and he hired Mr. Chapman to do many things about the farm he had left in Bethel. Mr. Chapman also at one time purchased the hay on the Emery farm. The unsettled account originated this way. The last dicker between

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the men was for cutting hay on the farm by Mr. Chapman. This gentleman hired help and went to expense on the job and wanted money with which to settle, which Mr. Emery was slow in sending. On account of the law limitation, Chapman sued Emery and recovered and at that time supposed and claimed the accounts of both men were settled. But this action made bad blood between the men, and Mr. Emery brought the present suit to recover items, which he claimed were not settled. These items were three in number—a balance for hay sold Chapman of \$17.28, for chemicals sold \$45.00, and for use of sheds \$10.00. The last item was dropped. The fertilizer in question was called chemicals by Mr. Emery and was worth \$7.50 per hundred weight; but Mr. Chapman said it was phosphate worth \$2.00 per hundred. The amount was agreed upon, 600 pounds. Mr. Chapman put in evidence to show that the phosphate was used to top dress corn in July, something for which the chemicals could not be used. Mr. Chapman claimed both of these items had been paid. Mr. Emery that they had not. A verdict was brought in for the plaintiff—that the accounts were balanced and neither party owed the other anything.

There was a jail delivery Friday af-

ternoon in answer to indictments:

Dominique Youkins, Rumford, breaking, entering and larceny. Pleading not guilty.

John and Henry Bressette, Oxford, larceny. Pleading guilty to larceny from Henry Hamlin but not from A. L. Chaplin and that part of the indictment was not pressed.

Edward Gilland and Alfred Hartman, breaking, entering and larceny. Pleading guilty.

Henry Taylor, Bangor, carrying concealed weapons. Pleading guilty.

Frank Walsh, Pittsburg, Mass., assault and battery. Pleading guilty.

William Knox and Louise Knight, Dixfield, adultery. Pleading guilty. Mrs. Knight, who is a married woman with children, has returned to her husband and home, and in view of this fact the indictment against her was continued during good behavior. She gave bond in \$200 to report at each future term of court.

Prisoners were returned to jail to await sentence.

SUNDAY RIVER

Mrs. Eliza Spinney returned to her home after spending a two weeks' vacation with her children.

Mrs. Clara Mitchell of Roxbury called at J. J. Spinner's, Monday.

Mrs. Lewis Spinney is sick at this writing.

Bert Brown has a new Ford car.

Robert Mills has finished guiding at the lakes, and is working for Bert Brown.

A. P. Copeland was in this place on business, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Reynolds and family were in Bethel, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Stowe and son, Deward of Farmington, formerly of this place, were calling on friends and relatives here last week.

Joe Spinney has gone to Wentworth Location where he has a job filling.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKenzie have gone to Grafton to work for Mr. Peterkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bailey were in Hastings, Me., last Sunday.

Leander Thurlow was in this place, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, after spending a two weeks' vacation, returned to their home in Lowell.

Mrs. Belle Hutchins of Haverhill, Mass., is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. G. Evans.

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Horace Francis and wife have been recent visitors with relatives in Massachusetts, making the trip by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peterson of this town have arrived in Oakland, Calif., where they will make their future home. They made the trip from Rumford to the Pacific coast in their touring car, visiting many of the principal cities en route.

The sessions of the evening school started on Monday evening of last week at the high school building, under the principalship of H. G. Noyes. The Misses Dearing, Rudrick, Matthieu, Packard, White and Grant are teachers in the elementary departments. Miss Mildred Smith and Miss Maude Ellis have charge of the commercial course. H. G. Noyes has charge of the naturalization course, and he has arranged for talks by the various lawyers of the town. James Young is head of the shop mathematics. Mr. Young is a graduate of Bates College, and is now employed in the laboratory at the Oxford mill. George Hutchinson has charge of the course for would-be draftsmen. Mr. Maynard employed by the Rumford Falls Power Company, has charge of the electrical course. There is a course for would-be garage mechanics in charge of Harold McDonald, who is employed at the Continental mill. P. H. Hooker, superintendent at the soda mill of the Oxford, has charge of the course for pulp and paper makers. Miss Combs has charge of the domestic science classes.

Rumford Grange has accepted the invitation of Andover Grange to visit them on Oct. 22.

News has been received of the serious illness of Mrs. Perry Lapham of Locke's Mills. Mr. and Mrs. Lapham were former residents of Rumford.

Mrs. Ralph Draper and two sons, Ralph, Jr., and John, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Draper.

Mrs. H. N. Burdett of Bath has been a recent guest of her son, Howard Burdett, and family of Prospect avenue, Virginia District. Mrs. C. C. Coffin of Portland is also a guest in the home of her brother, Mr. Howard Burdett.

Lucien Plante has moved into the Joe Belanger house at East Rumford.

Mrs. George Killam of Hillsdale avenue is on the sick list.

Freeland Estes has resigned his position at the mill, and has gone to Rumford Corner to work.

Harry Eastman of Spring avenue while out deer hunting recently shot a bear weighing 400 pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Rolfe of Washington street have been recent guests of relatives in Nashua, N. H.

The marriage of Miss Alma Poulin and Mr. Joseph Fitzsimmons is an event of the near future.

Miss Mildred Atwater of Caribou has accepted a position as teacher in the Rumford schools.

Wilbert O'Neil is confined to his home on Hancock street with a broken leg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest A. Wakeley of Lincoln avenue are spending two weeks in Portland.

Among those from this vicinity who are attending Bates College this year are Robertine Howe and Ellen Hall from Rumford and Doris Gallop from Mexico.

Verdicts in two suits for damages against Zephirin Thibodeau of Rumford as tried by the October term of the Oxford County Supreme Court which sat at South Paris this past week, will cost the defendant almost \$8,000. Manning B. Kelley brought suit against Thibodeau to recover expenses for loss of service and hospital and doctor's bills on account of his wife who was run over by Thibodeau's auto on Franklin street hill in September, 1919. The verdict in this case was \$2551.17 and costs. In the case of Mrs. Kelley against Thibodeau for injuries, a verdict for \$4527.90 was returned. Parker and Hutchins were the lawyers for the plaintiffs, while Albert Bellevue was the defendant's lawyer.

Mrs. Alfred Sparks of Franklin street has been confined to her home on Franklin street suffering with an infected foot. Mrs. Wynnan, the nurse, has been caring for her.

Mrs. Philo Clark of Prospect avenue, Virginia District, is spending this week at her old home in New Hampshire.

The death of the five day old son of Mr. and Mrs. James McKenna occurred at their home on Waldo street on Monday of this week.

The death of Oscar, twelve year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wiggs, took place on Sunday at their home on Washington street. The boy has been ill with tuberculosis for a number of years.

Among the recent marriages at the French Catholic church is that of Alfred Gravel and Dora Rouleau, Rev. Fr. Harvey officiating. They were attended by Joseph Gravel and Michael Aube; that of Nicholas Polier and Mary Cormier, Francis Dorian and Marcel Albert attending, Fr. Harvey officiating.

The forum class of the Universalist church will hold a supper on Thursday evening of this week at the church. At this time officers of the class will be chosen for the coming year, and the first class meeting will be held next Sunday at the noon hour.

At the supper held last week at the

WEST PARIS

F. P. McKenney, E. D. Curtis and R. T. Flavin are on a hunting trip in Upton.

Edwin J. Mann and B. R. Billings of Bryant's Pond and friends from Worcester, Mass., and New York are on their annual hunting trip at Wild River.

Mrs. J. L. Bowker and a friend from Portland are guests of her mother, Mrs. Roscoe Tuell.

Mrs. Charles Russell has been spending a few days in Portland.

Ronald Perham, accompanied by his father, Alfred Perham, returned Monday from Boston, where he had been for medical advice. He is in a plaster cast but received encouragement of complete recovery.

Elwood Pierce is moving into H. W. Dunham's house recently vacated by Leslie Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wyman entertained the Ladies' Aid and Ladies' Social Circle of the Federated church last Wednesday, and all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright W. Flavin have moved to Portland.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheeler were at Lewiston, Thursday. The doctor accompanied a little boy from the Porter Neighborhood, who had one leg amputated.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Mann entertained the members of the Young People's Union, Friday evening. There was a good attendance and a general good time.

Rev. H. A. Markley occupied the pulpit of the Universalist church at Norway on Sunday, Oct. 10, on account of the illness of the pastor, Rev. C. G. Miller.

Mrs. Lewis Mann was at Norway, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jacobs have broken up housekeeping, and are taking their meals at A. K. Emery's.

Rev. H. A. Markley and Rupert T. Berry attended a council meeting of Boy Scouts at South Paris, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Whitten have closed their house and returned to Boston for the winter.

Cards have been received here announcing the marriage of Harold Clayton Perham and Phyllis Diantha Williams, at Portland, on Monday, Oct. 11.

At home after Nov. 1st, at Pleasant View Farm, West Paris. Mr. Perham is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred C. Perham, and is a graduate of Paris High School. He attended the University of Maine last year. Mrs. Perham is the daughter of Mrs. Annie Williams of Portland. Friends extend congratulations and good wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Marston and children, Lena and Doris, have been guests at H. Y. Bacon's before moving to South Paris.

Universalist church about \$60.00 was cleared.

Two compositions by Rumford's well known composer, Mr. Walter Rolfe, appear in the October number of the "Blonde." They are entitled "A Lonely Gipsy Maid," and "Peasant Girl."

In the August number of this same magazine appeared a modern ballad entitled "If Love Rules the World." And also in a recent number appeared the grand triumphal march, "America." Compositions by Mr. Rolfe frequently appear in this musical magazine.

The engagement of Mr. Russell Staples, a clerk in the store of the Rumford Drug Company, and Miss Mildred Wescott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wescott, has recently been announced.

The Young People's Union of the Universalist church has recently been organized, and the first regular Sunday evening meeting was held last Sunday evening in the church parlors. Tracy Pullman was the leader.

James MacDougal of New Hampshire is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. D. S. Frew, of Urquhart street.

Miss Lena Felt, who has been on an extended vacation trip through the Canadian Northwest, returned on Thursday of this week, and resumed her duties as stenographer in the office of Assistant Superintendent D. E. Hayes of the Maine Central Railroad. Miss Felt visited Mr. and Mrs. Artell Hall and family, formerly with the Maine Central in Rumford, as yardmaster, but is now engaged in extensive farming operations at Crossfields, Alberta, about thirty miles from Calgary.

Miss Dorothy Green has this week opened toilet parlors in the Cheney Block, where she is to do hair work, manicuring and the like. This is something that has been much needed in Rumford for a long time, and without doubt she will be well patronized.

Mrs. Rufus J. Virgin and family have left for St. Petersburg, Florida, to spend the winter months.

Mrs. Charles E. Fernald of Franklin street is entertaining her sister and family of Dixfield, while their home which was recently damaged by fire, is being repaired.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Porter have recently taken apartments with Miss Caroline Kenniston in the Majestic block on Waldo street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Night are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a child.

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Mr. and Mrs. John H. Howe and children, Agnes and Rodney, were week end guests of Mrs. Howe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Kimball, Bethel.

Mrs. H. E. Bartlett will be this week's guest of her daughter, Mrs. Amy Lyon, Rumford.

Mrs. L. I. Young and sister, Mrs. Mary Simmons, of East Weymouth, Mass., are spending a two weeks' vacation here. They are boarding with Mrs. Guy Bartlett and have rooms with Mrs. Freeborn Bean.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Kimball and Mr. and Mrs. Almon Cairns of South Paris were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Howe enroute to visit relatives in New Hampshire and other places.

Mr. and Mrs. Ceylon M. Kimball and son motored to Auburn, Saturday, and Mr. Kimball had an operation for a serious throat and nose trouble. They were guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Clark.

A most delightful reunion of the F. B. Club was held at the home of Mrs. Lucetta Bartlett Bean, Monday P. M., Oct. 18. All the members at home once more being present. When their hostess announced it was the occasion of her birthday it proved a "surprise party." Congratulations were extended. What was enjoyed, "A. M. T." being their motto. Light refreshments were served which included a delicious birthday cake. Pleasing and appropriate quotations were found at each guest plate, and a pleasant happy afternoon will long be remembered by all.

Misses Eda Thurston, grammar, and Laura Cummings, primary, pleasantly observed Columbus Day in their schools here. Several mothers and friends were present and much enjoyed the following program presented by the "Dawey School League":

Song, America, School
Secretary's and Treasurer's reports
Recitation, The Banner Betsy Made,
Ethel Hutchins
Recitation, Willie's Speech, Francis Reed
Song, Battle Hymn of the Republic, School

Recitation, Dreams of Columbus, Ruth Holt
Solo, Sunset Echoes, Ethel Hutchins
Recitation, Why There Are No Columbus' Nowadays, Eight Boys
Recitation, The Green Mountain Jastice, Francis Reed
Recitation, His First Speech, David Foster

Recitation, Tommy's Arithmetic, Hilda Reed
Song, Juanita, School

Price Reduction Getting Back

to

Pre War Prices

A Saving of \$4.00 to \$16.00 Each
on My Present Stock of

—TIRES—

All Firsts and Guaranteed

There has been no reduction in prices from manufacturers yet, and as this price is less than the 1918 or 1919 list, it is a good time to get taken care of for this Fall's riding.

COME EARLY
DON'T WAIT

CARVER'S

POEMS WORTH READING

WORRY

"Who's to blame if you're worry?
Full each waking hour with dread?
Does the fault belong to others?
Isn't it your own instead?"

"Here's a sunny plain and cherry,
There's a valley dark and damp;
It's for you to choose between them,
Where will be your daily camp?"

"Might as well be bright and smiling,
All depends upon your mind;
Might as well enjoy the morn,
As to only eat the rind."

TAKING HIS PLACE

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DOCTORS SAY CONSTIPATION
POISONS SYSTEM

Mrs. Boyce Tells Her Experience

The majority of people suffer from constipation which poisons the whole system and causes coated tongue, bad breath, foul breath; in children often results in high fever and actual illness.

These conditions may be quickly relieved by Dr. True's Elixir—the Family Laxative that has worked wonders for men, women and children since 1851.

"I have great faith in your Dr. True's Elixir. I give it to my boy, it is doing him much good and I would not be without a bottle for anything."

You know the symptoms of chronic constipation—sour stomach, belching, bad breath, heavy dull eyes, constant headaches, and general out-of-sorts, grouchy feeling. Then why not let Dr. True's Elixir help you! Dr. True's Elixir, the Family Laxative and Worm Expeller, is mild and pleasant to take and works just right for children and grown-ups.

One or both these hostile doors, Quackery then the neighborly hands, That forgiveness to implore.

"I was wrong; can you forgive me?" "No, 'twas I; don't say a word!" In the shower of self-reproaches, Scarcely a syllable is heard.

But the anger's all forgotten, Love and peace have found their place, And the change, although so sudden, Is reflected in each face.

So we find it often happens, He a neighbor, have a neighbor, "Was old saying proven true?" Ethel Ward Strickland

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SOUTH PARIS

J. U. Purlington of Bethel was in town one day last week.

Sidney Abbott of Andover was in town last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Cairns visited friends in Bethel last week.

Lincoln Burdhan visited his family in Harrison one day last week.

J. Hastings Bean and family were at North Newry one day last week.

Mrs. Nettie Rich of Mechanic Falls was in South Paris, Wednesday.

Mrs. Grace Carroll was a recent visitor of her mother, Mrs. Ruth Bryant, in Milton.

George Perry is driving the auto bus of the Norway and South Paris Transfer Company.

Miss Ida Lapham was a guest of her mother, Mrs. Grace Eldridge, in Milton last week.

Mrs. Maud Davey was a recent guest of her aunt, Mrs. Flora J. Cole, at Bryant's Pond.

Rev. L. H. Stoughton of Alfred supplied the pulpit at the Congregational church Sunday.

Miss Lela Billings has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Billings, in Milton during the past week.

Mrs. G. D. Merrill of West Bethel was called to So. Paris last week by the serious illness of her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Bell.

Next Tuesday afternoon, Oct. 25, at 3:30 o'clock, Mrs. Florence Brooks Whitehouse will address the Community Club at Engine House Hall.

At the meeting of the Teen Age Department of the Methodist church and at the home of Mrs. Helen Briggs, Friday evening the following officers were elected for the year: President, Christine Davis; Vice Pres., Laura Brooks; Secretary, Miriam Robertson; Treasurer, Martha Fletcher. A social hour was spent after the meeting and refreshments served.

A good sized audience attended the old folks' concert at the Baptist vestry Friday evening.

Mr. R. S. Davis, for over 25 years a resident of San Francisco, Calif., returned to the East last Thursday and will make his home for some time in South Paris.

Miss Margaret Wilson of Auburn was the guest of Mrs. Anna H. Hayes over the week end.

Miss Madeline Emery of West New Portland has been a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Strickland.

The subject of the forenoon sermon at the Baptist church next Sunday will be, "What would Jesus think of our modern life?"

The women's voting list has been printed and contains 944 names.

The annual reception to the teachers given by the W. C. T. U. will be in the vestry of the Baptist church, Friday evening, Oct. 20th.

Mrs. Evelyn Green and son, Horace, who have been stopping in No. Waterford for several weeks, have returned to the village and will open a boarding house.

If A. Morton and family are at their home at Bang Pond.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph N. Gilbert and daughter, Mabel, of Mexico, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold B. Gilbert of Cantonville or relatives here Sunday.

Port High School football team was defeated at South Portland, Maine, by the score of 38 to 0.

There will be a Halloween assembly at the King schoolhouse Saturday, Oct. 23, at 7:30 P. M. Admission is free.

Rev. C. J. Miller is improving his pulpit, and no services were held at the Universalist church on Sunday.

The Optometric class meets with Mrs. Harvey, Saturday afternoon. A covered dish supper will be served at supper time. Each member is expected to be present with something to eat in a covered dish, and to take her own dishes, a plate, knife, fork, spoon and a drinking cup. Coffee will be furnished.

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IMPROVEMENT OF PLANTS
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SELECTION

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In a recent letter in this series it was shown that both in the case of grain and poultry that selection by performance alone did not make any improvement in the stock. As a matter of fact in both cases the failure of the old methods of selection to obtain results led to the adoption of a new method essentially alike in two cases, differing only as to details conditioned by different modes of reproduction in plants and animals. This new method has proved itself in the hands of plant breeders all over the world, but led by the Swedish investigators and farmers, to be brilliantly successful. It has resulted in putting cereal breeding on a sure and definite basis. It has been tried thoroughly by the Maine Agricultural Experiment Station in breeding poultry for increased egg production with very striking and sure results.

Now, just what is this new method of breeding? It can be best explained by contrasting it with the old method. In the old method of breeding emphasis was laid on performance as the basis of breeding. To make it concrete, it was assumed in this method that a "200 egg" hen was better to breed from than a "100 egg" hen because she had laid a larger number of eggs in a given time.

Her performance alone was made the basis of the estimation of her worth as a breeder. The new method of breeding starts out from the standpoint that performance is only one of many factors that make an animal or plant valuable as a breeder. In other words, it says that a "200 egg" hen is of no value as a breeder unless her daughters are high layers. The ability of an individual to transmit its performing qualities, and not merely to have them, is made the basis of breeding work according to the new methods. As a matter of fact, actual experiments with hens show that the high performer in the great majority of cases does not produce chickens which are themselves high performers. The high performers are usually the offspring of birds which were not themselves such extraordinary producers. But it is a plain, common-sense proposition that the most valuable animal as a breeder is the one that gets progeny that are high grade performers. If one can find a hen whose daughters invariably lay more than 170 eggs apiece in a year it is of no particular consequence whether that hen lays 100 or 200 eggs in the year. The case is the same with cows. There have been many Jersey cows that were great milk producers but whose daughters were poor milk producers. It was Figgis or Marina Poggis, but how many of them have produced a son that has nine or fifteen daughters in the advanced registry?

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Her performance alone was made the basis of the estimation of her worth as a breeder. The new method of breeding starts out from the standpoint that performance is only one of many factors that make an animal or plant valuable as a breeder. In other words, it says that a "200 egg" hen is of no value as a breeder unless her daughters are high layers. The ability of an individual to transmit its performing qualities, and not merely to have them, is made the basis of breeding work according to the new methods. As a matter of fact, actual experiments with hens show that the high performer in the great majority of cases does not produce chickens which are themselves high performers. The high performers are usually the offspring of birds which were not themselves such extraordinary producers. But it is a plain, common-sense proposition that the most valuable animal as a breeder is the one that gets progeny that are high grade performers. If one can find a hen whose daughters invariably lay more than 170 eggs apiece in a year it is of no particular consequence whether that hen lays 100 or 200 eggs in the year. The case is the same with cows. There have been many Jersey cows that were great milk producers but whose daughters were poor milk producers. It was Figgis or Marina Poggis, but how many of them have produced a son that has nine or fifteen daughters in the advanced registry?

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PUBLIC OPPOSES GOV'T OPERATION

Canvass of 5,154 Editors Shows
4,466 Communities Against
Socialistic Experiment.

OPPOSITION GROWING

Eighty-seven Per Cent In 1920 as
Against 83 Per Cent In 1919
Think Public Is Opposed
to Radicalism.

The American public is more intensely opposed to Government operation than it was a year ago, according to the newspaper editors of the country. Out of 5,154 editors replying to a questionnaire sent out by the Press Service Company of New York, 4,466, or 86 per cent, gave it as their judgment that the people of their communities were overwhelmingly against the Government competing in business with its own citizens.

In 1919 the Press Service Company conducted a similar canvass of editors on the government operation of railroads. That questionnaire showed that 83 per cent of the editors considered their communities against Government operation of public utilities.

Apparently, then, if editors estimate public opinion accurately, that opinion in a year, considered by communities, has swung 3 per cent farther away from socialistic experiments.

Eleven Million Circulation.

The combined circulation of the papers whose editors replied is 11,428,817, which means, according to the usual estimated ratio between circulation and readers, a constituency of at least 44,000,000. And this constituency is pretty evenly scattered throughout the country, no considerable section of any state being unrepresented. The estimate of opinion based on this thoroughly diffused 44 per cent of the country's population may, therefore, be considered a fair representation of the people as a whole.

Another feature of the result is its evident lack of partisan bias. The major political affiliations of the papers represented are fairly evenly divided, being 1,857 Republican and 1,250 Democratic. There are also 1,435 independent and 402 miscellaneous, including labor organs, etc.

How little the results are affected by the politics of the papers is shown in an analysis by sections. In the Southern section, for instance, where replies came from 65 Republican papers and 339 Democratic, the percentage against Government operation was 88; in the Great Lake section, with conditions reversed, 478 Republican and 155 Democratic, the opposition was 87 per cent.

Replies from the West, Middle West and Southwest show that it is a mistake to consider those sections vastly more favorable to radical Government experiments than the East. The radicals can get little comfort out of the 80 per cent of thumbs down—2 per cent above the average—in the Southwest, including Arkansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas. There, once supposed to be much given to Government regulation experiments, returned 92 per cent of unfavorable replies. Out of the 244 editors replying from that state only three edited Republican papers. The 82 per cent opposition of the North-west, including Iowa, Minnesota, Montana, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota and Wyoming, and the 85 per cent vote of the Far West group, including Arizona, California, Idaho, Nevada, New Mexico, Oregon, Colorado, Utah and Washington, are significant of the prevailing conservative sentiment on this question even in the more radical sections.

Judgment Apparently Unbiased.

The questionnaire closes with a request for the editor's personal opinion on certain concrete cases as follows:

"Do you personally believe that the Federal Government should own and operate competitive industries to provide: (a) Fuel? (b) Clothing? (c) Automobiles? (d) Farm implements? (e) Foodstuffs?"

Substantially all the editors who gave estimates of their readers' opinion also expressed their own by replying to this last question. Proof of considerable effort to avoid personal bias is found in the fact that in many cases the editor differed from the opinion he credited to his community. The percentages of "yes" ran: (a) 16; (b) 22; (c) 24; (d) 22; (e) 73.

While the questions were based on general principles involved in the Government participating in competitive business, the so-called Muscle Shoals Bill now before Congress was used as a concrete example of a Government operation scheme. Under this bill a Government-owned corporation would be given broad powers to operate and develop Government plants and properties. It would produce at Muscle Shoals various fertilizer products and sell them in competition with producers and merchants in the fertilizer business.

The strength of the opposition to Government operation is indicated by the replies from Alabama, where the Muscle Shoals war plant is and where, of course, there is intense interest and local pride in getting its expected peace-time operation under way at the earliest possible date. Fifty editors from that state replied, of whom 38 were opposed to Government operation, 3 in favor and 4 doubtful.

CONDENSED CLASSICS

A TALE OF TWO CITIES

By CHARLES DICKENS

Condensed by Miss Sara A. Hamlin



Charles John Huffam Dickens was born Feb. 7, 1812, at Portsea, England, where his father was a clerk in the navy pay office. He died at Gadshill Place, in Kent, on June 9, 1870.

His dream of writing came to him early when as a boy he read breathlessly the battered novels in his father's library. He became a reporter on the London newspapers, and wrote "Sketches by Boz," wherein are, in miniature, all the abounding virtues of his novels.

The "Pickwick Papers" (1837) were a great success. Their inimitable humor captured the English reading world. His first extended novel was "Oliver Twist" (1838), followed by "Nicholas Nickleby" (1839-41), "Old Curiosity Shop" and "Barnaby Rudge" (1840-41). He produced some sixteen major novels, the last, "The Mystery of Edwin Drood" (1870), being unfinished. "David Copperfield" (1850-51), held by many to be his masterpiece, and by not a few to be the greatest story ever written, is supposed to be semi-autobiographical. Many of his novels were published in installments, and never before or since has any literary publication excited such a furor.

After his initial successes Dickens' life was a triumphal procession, saddened only by domestic unhappiness. He visited America, where his works were even more popular than in England, in 1842 and 1867-68.

He wrote in his will his own best epitaph: "I rest my claims to the remembrance of my country on my published works." His might well have substituted "the world" for "my country."

Perhaps the quality that distinguishes his novels among all others is their abounding humor.

ON a cold November night, in the year 1775, the English mail coach, on its way from London to Dover, was carrying among its passengers a Mr. Jarvis Lorry, a London banker of the well-known firm of Tellson & Co. As the coach stumbled along in the darkness, there arose before him the vision of an emaciated figure with hair prematurely white. All night between him and the spectre the same words repeated themselves again and again.

"Buried how long?"
"Almost eighteen years."
"I hope you care to live?"
"I can't say."

About eighteen years before the story opens, Dr. Manette, a prominent young physician of Paris, had suddenly disappeared. Everything was done to discover some trace of him, but in vain. The loss of her husband caused his wife such anguish that she resolved to bring up her little daughter in ignorance of her father's fate; and when in two years she died, she left little Lucie under the guardianship of Tellson & Co., to whose care Dr. Manette for many years had intrusted his financial affairs.

Strange tidings concerning the Doctor had just come from Paris, and Mr. Lorry was on his way to meet his ward, and explain to her the facts of her early life. This was a duty from which the kind-hearted banker shrank, and when he saw the slight golden-haired girl who came to meet him, his heart almost failed him; but his task was accomplished at last.

"And now," concluded Mr. Lorry, "your father has been found. He is alive, greatly changed, but alive. He has been taken to the house of a former servant in Paris, and we are going there. I to identify him, you to restore him to life and love."

The servant that sheltered Dr. Manette was a man by the name of Defarge who, with his wife, kept a wine-shop in the obscure district of St. Antoine. The banker and Lucie were taken to an attic where a haggard, white-haired man sat on a low bench, making shoes, a wreck of a man, oblivious of all around him.

Again was the Chancel crossed, and again the old inquiry whispered in the ear of Jarvis Lorry:

"I hope you care to be recalled to life?"

"I can't say."
Five years later, in the court room of the Old Bailey in London, a young Frenchman was on trial for his life. Near him sat an untidy looking individual by the name of Sydney Carton. With his eyes fixed on the ceiling, he was unobservant, apparently, of all that passed around him; but it was he, who, first noticing the extraordinary resemblance between the prisoner and himself, rescued Charles Darnay from the web of deceit which had been spun around him.

Between these two young men, the striking resemblance was in outward appearance only. Charles Darnay was of noble birth; but his ancestors had for many years so cruelly oppressed the French peasantry that the name of Evremonde was hated and despised. Wholly unlike them in character, this last descendant of his race had given up his name and estate, and had come

to England as a private gentleman, eager to begin life anew.

Sydney Carton was a young English lawyer, brilliant in intellect, but steadily deteriorating through his life of dissipation, able to advise others but unable to guide himself, "conscious of the blight on him and resigning himself to let it eat him away."

He and Darnay soon became frequent visitors at the small house in Soho square, the home of Dr. Manette and his daughter. Through Lucie's care and devotion, the Doctor had almost wholly recovered from the effects of his long imprisonment, and it was only in times of strong excitement that any trace of his past insanity could be detected. The sweet face of Lucie Manette soon won the hearts of both the young men, but it was Darnay to whom she gave her love.

And so that interview between Lucie and Sydney Carton has a pathos that wrings our hearts. He knew that even if his love could have been returned, it would have added only to his bitterness and sorrow, for he felt it would have been powerless to lift him from the slough of selfishness and sensuality that had engulfed him. But he could not resist this last sad confession of his love; and when she weeps at the sorrow of which she has been the innocent cause, he implores: "Do not weep, dear Miss Manette; the life I lead renders me unworthy of your pure love. My last supplication is this: Think now and then that there is a man who would give his life to keep a life you love beside you."

But dark days were to come. In the year 1789 the downtrodden French peasantry turned upon their oppressors. The streets of Paris were filled with crowds of people whose eager cry was for "blood." Madame Defarge no longer sat behind the counter of her small wine shop, silently knitting into her work the names of her hated enemies, but axe in hand and knife at her belt, headed a frenzied mob of women on to the Bastille. The French Revolution had actually begun.

Madame Defarge was one of the leading spirits of the Revolution. Early in life she had seen her family fall victims to the tyranny and lust of the cruel nobility and from that time her life had been devoted to revenge.

Three years of crime and bloodshed passed, and in 1792 Mr. Jarvis Lorry and Charles Darnay landed in Paris, the former to protect the French branch of Tellson & Co., and the latter to befriend an old family servant who had besought his help. Not until they had set foot in Paris did they realize into what a children of fury they had plunged. Mr. Lorry, on account of his business relations, was allowed his freedom, but Darnay was hurried at once to the prison of La Force, there to await his trial. The reason given for the outrage was the new law for the arrest of all returning French emigrants, but the true cause was that he had been recognized as Charles Evremonde.

These tidings soon reached London, and Dr. Manette, with his daughter Lucie, hastened to Paris, for he felt sure that his long confinement in the Bastille would win for him the sympathy of the French people, and thus enable him to save his son-in-law. Days and months passed, and although the Doctor succeeded in gaining a promise that Darnay's life should be spared, the latter was not allowed to leave his prison.

At last came the dreadful year of the Reign of Terror. The sympathy which at first had been given to Dr. Manette had become weakened through the influence of the bloodthirsty Madame Defarge. Also, there had been found in the ruins of the Bastille a paper which contained Dr. Manette's account of his own abduction and imprisonment, and pronouncing a solemn curse upon the House of Evremonde and their descendants, who were declared to be the authors of his eighteen years of misery. Charles Darnay's doom was sealed. "Back to the Conciergerie and death within twenty-four hours."

To Sydney Carton, who had followed his friends to Paris, came an inspiration. Had he not promised Lucie that he would die to save a life she loved? By bribery, he gains admittance to the prison; Darnay is removed unconscious from the cell, and Carton sits down to await his fate.

Along the Paris streets six tumbrils are carrying the day's wine to the guillotine. In the third car sits a young man with his hands bound. As the cries from the street arise against him they only move him to a quiet smile as he shakes more loosely his hair about his face.

Crash! A head is held up and the kneeling women who are ranged about the scaffold count "One."

The third cart comes up and the supposed Evremonde descends. His lips move, forming the words, "A life you love."

The murmuring of many voices, the upturning of many faces, then all flashes away.

"Twenty-three!"
"I am the resurrection and the life, saith the Lord; he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live; and whosoever liveth and believeth in me shall never die."

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Relic Goes Like Hot Cakes.
"You say this is the only autograph of Charlemagne in existence?" asked the customer suspiciously.
"It is."
"It must be very desirable."
"Yes," said the absent-minded salesman. "We're selling lots of 'em."

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Events of Interest From Washington
By J. E. Jones

HOUSING CONDITIONS AT THE CAPITAL

Large numbers of tenants in Washington have been ordered to vacate because they will not pay the increased rents that have been demanded. The "Rent Commission" authorized by Congress has been declared to be illegal by one of the courts of the District of Columbia, but still another court holds that tenants cannot be ejected. So it is a standoff between the landlords and the tenants.

For the first time in a number of years Congress failed to remain in session most of the summer, and when the lawmakers left here several months ago the greater part of them gave up their houses and apartments. The demand for desirable living quarters is as acute in Washington today as it was during the war, and as a result the Congressmen will return here for the coming session of Congress and find that they cannot secure suitable living quarters. October first was moving day in the Capital, as it is in all cities, and "the idea of October" arrived in moving vans. People who could, moved into the better places. And now the Capital is speculating regarding living quarters for the Congressional contingent that will be showing up immediately after election. The only place to be found in the distressing condition is that the Congressmen will all be "boiling mad" when they find how they are shut out, and in retaliation for their own discomfort they may lay the blame to the backs of the real estate profiteers who have made Washington as famous for their deals as was Milwaukee for another cause.

The Washington housing condition is so serious that Senator Kenyon has seriously proposed that a number of the federal government move to other cities. He would transplant the entire Department of Agriculture to the middle west, the shipping board to a sea coast town, the Federal Trade Commission to Chicago, and other bureaus to places where they might be more accessible to the people whom they directly serve. It is a "bad idea" if you will believe Washingtonians, but Senator Kenyon proposes it only as a method for relieving the intolerable housing situation of the Capital; and he says the suggestion will be backed by a large number of Senators.

Government clerks on small salaries who are paying forty and fifty dollars a month rent, and officials who pay more than twice that sum are hoping for drastic action when Congress returns "all dressed up with no place to go."

THE NATION'S COAL BURN

During the War period there was a terrible row because the Government moved coal into the northwest in quantities while it left Ohio, Indiana and the middle west out "in the cold." From complaints that are reaching the Interstate Commerce it appears that history is repeating itself, and in consequence priority orders may be looked for that will direct the routing and shipment of coal, as was done recently in relieving the situation in New England.

The coal miners are all at work and for once there is no strike in that great industry. The recent wage increase among coal miners amounts to 1 to 25 per cent, or an increase of about 10 cents per ton. While the award was not satisfactory to the miners, they have nevertheless found that it was not well for them to come out then "on strike" where, what was in effect a strike. However, they have already asked the President to call conference of mine operators and miners "for the purpose of adjusting inequalities in the present agreement."

The railroads are handling their part of the problem in good shape and the concerted effort of the different companies to give the public more transportation is meeting with splendid results. There has been but a small falling off of traffic due to the increased rates, and reports to the War Revenue Bureau of the American National Association show that the car situation continues to improve throughout the country. The different roads are gradually getting their own rolling stock back on their own tracks, returning them from the railroad exchange where they were sent as the cars are returned home they are being put to stage for service, and they are adding their part to the equipment at hand.

MOTOR TRUCKS ON THE FARM

The Agricultural Department has been studying the uses of farm motor trucks for some time, and it is now making a study of them. It has been determined that the average truck used on a farm travels 2,777 miles a year, and the cost of operation is at least seven cents a mile, making the

total cost of one of these "pesky critters" about \$470 a year.

ADJUSTING THE ECONOMIC LAW

The good news has been going round and round that prices are tumbling down, and everyone except someone who sees his own profits cut is happy over the announcements that appear daily in the newspapers. If it were true that the sellers had this whole problem in their keeping, as many suppose, then we would find commodity after commodity being raised in price with the new freight rates being offered as an excuse. But it is a mistake to suppose that manufacturers and wholesalers control the situation, for they in turn have to deal with new labor problems, new methods of marketing, increased charges for their supplies, and conditions in industry that they could not have dreamed of when they engaged in business. The economic law is a good deal like the digestive apparatus of a human being, and no one will assume that the latter is able to function naturally when it is being stuffed to withstand trenches and service. But the economic law, like the digestion usually adjusts itself some way or other. Just now the country is witnessing the struggles of the economic law to regulate and adjust itself, and there is every evidence that the American people are coming out of the present era of high prices all right. In the process it behooves them to abide by the old advice to "keep their feet warm and their heads cool," and incidentally the more calamity howlers they wait day by day, the sooner will the country get back to an economic condition that is good for everybody.

TROUBLES IN GOVERNMENT SHIPPING

The shipping board is quite ready to adopt the custom that has obtained in paying commissions on cargoes. The privately owned ships have been giving the Government a little the worst of it, and it is now proposed to meet them on their own grounds, and to grant commissions for obtaining cargoes at a rate below 5% will likely be adopted. One of the big troubles that the Government has had to face is the custom of ship officers to obtain "commissions" from dealers who furnish supplies to their ships. Captains and purser, and other officers, have grown rich on these fees in the past. However, the Government regards the custom as a species of graft that it cannot, and will not countenance. Private shipowners who paid small salaries to their officers, winked at the custom, and accepted it as something they could not help.

The Shipping Board complains that American business interests are placing their insurance with foreign companies, in preference to the American Merchant Marine Syndicate causing "the unnecessary flow of millions of dollars of marine premiums to the other side, and the use of marine insurance by our competitors as a commercial weapon against our interests, and inability on our part to properly safeguard commercial information."

CORRIDOR CATTLE IN NEBRASKA

The Department of Agriculture in cooperation with the University of Nebraska, determined that the average cost of cornfed cattle down at the market was \$14.91 per hundredweight for 2,597 head fed in the winter months 1918-9, \$13.83 in the winter of 1919-20. There was an average loss per head of \$1.17 for the first period reported, and \$10.03 and \$14.07 on two groups reported for the second period.

NEW RECRUITING PLAN

(Continued from page 1)

recruitment in the United States Army. Arrangements are being made in each town in the State to supply its quota. Of course, about 50 per cent of this quota has already been enlisted by the recruiting personnel and each township will be credited with the number of men already in the service from that place. It has not been economical to canvass any except the cities for recruits so that heretofore the mass of recruits have been obtained from the cities.

With the advancement of the vocational schools in the Army, it is felt that the smaller towns should have a better opportunity to have their young men taught remunerative trades at government expense. The agricultural courses will be especially popular in this state. An agricultural school is already established at Camp Eustis, Virginia, and Major General Shanks, commanding the First Corps Area at Houston has announced that he intends to have one started at Camp Devens. With one year's training in these courses, a young man can return to his native farm and use the knowledge of progressive farming to wonderful advantage. Several courses of dollars are being expended for having the best instructors in these courses and each town and county ought to be getting its share of the dividends.

The voluntary quota recruiting is the nearest approach to Universal Military Training under present laws and the assistance of the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Reserve Officers, and other patriotic societies is expected. Aside from the manifold advantages to the young man himself, the country will have a nucleus of trained men to serve if need be, instead of being caught in the state of unprepared-

ness of the late war. This patriotic training will also be a national insurance of true citizenship, for, some reports to the contrary notwithstanding, no Bolshevik was ever made in the Army.

Another advantage of the present plans is that it will develop localized regiments and men will have an opportunity to serve with men from their own states. The following regiments belong to this state: 13th Infantry, Camp Devens, Mass.; 1st Field Artillery, Fort Sill, Oklahoma; 42nd Railroad Artillery, Camp Eustis, Virginia; 3rd Cavalry, Fort Ethan Allen, Vermont, and Fort Meyer, Virginia, and the local Coast Defenses. The first enlistment for any one of these places is one year, but a man can choose for three years any place in the world where troops are stationed.

SKILLINGTON

Mrs. Ida Mason of South Paris has been a guest at the home of Frank Heath.

Mrs. William Foley has returned from her visit in Portland. Her sister, Mrs. Damon, returned with her.

Mrs. Mary Young and daughter, Margaret, are visiting in Sherbrooke.

Harry Vashaw has started his logging operations in Errol.

Mrs. Bertha Martin and little Daisy have gone to Errol to cook for Harry Vashaw.

Mrs. J. P. Skillings has returned from a short visit at Wakefield, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Poole is visiting at Mrs. Mary Young's.

Miss Fannie Sanborn is assisting in Skillings' mill.

Mrs. E. S. Robinson has moved his family to Skillington for the winter. Frank Heath and family called on friends at South Paris, Sunday.

Charles Wheeler and wife were Sunday visitors at South Paris.

LOOKE'S MILLS

A. B. Stowell and King Bartlett attended the County Council Organization of Boy Scouts at South Paris, Friday.

Roy Brown of Berlin N. H. is visiting relatives for a few days.

Charles Domeritt remains critically ill.

Miss Churchill of Mechanic Falls is visiting her sister, Mrs. Donald Tebbets.

Mrs. Millard Pierce and baby have been visiting friends in town for a few days.

Mrs. Leslie Davis and children of North Newry were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Swan last week.

Rock Newell gave a dance Monday at the hall, the occasion being his birthday.

GROVER HILL

Mr. George A. Grover has been quite ill since Friday when he had an attack of acute indigestion which later developed into the grip.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hutchinson from Bethel were last week's guests of their son, Will Hutchinson, and family at Pleasant View Farm.

A. B. Grover was in Mason a few days last week assisting his brother and nephew in harvesting their potatoes.

Mrs. Lillian V. Whitman and her brother, Edw. Gibbs, and Charlie Malloy from Medford, Mass., motored to Bethel for the week end and were accompanied by Miss Gwendolyn Stearns from Faco.

Mr. Karl Barnard from Portland is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Tyler.

Mr. E. B. Whitman from Norway was at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Whitman, Sunday.

WEST BETHEL

Mrs. G. D. Morrill is in South Paris caring for her daughter, Mrs. C. J. Bell, who is ill.

Mrs. W. D. Mills has been confined to the house for two weeks with a severe cold and bronchitis.

Mrs. Malena Morgan has gone to Sharon, Mass., for the winter. She was accompanied by her granddaughter, Mrs. H. C. Moss, and Master Henry who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Wakefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Morrill of Norway were calling on relatives in this vicinity, Monday.

Harry Mills of Gorham, N. H., was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills last week.

Mrs. Frank Gibson of Los Angeles, Calif., is here to help her father, E. L. Mason, pack his goods and will accompany him to her home, after visiting his son, C. A. Mason and family in Milford, N. H.

Mrs. Maud O'Reilly came up from Rumford, Saturday afternoon.

A. H. Mason and daughter Mrs. Chas. O'Reilly called on P. I. Mason, Tuesday afternoon.

Adrian Grover and family were in West Paris recently.

George Harding from Bethel was in this place, Tuesday.

Engene Farwell from New Jersey is visiting at the home of Mrs. Alfreda and Miss Grace Farwell.

Fred Ordway attended court at Bethel one day last week.

Several of the interested people met Tuesday and mowed and cleaned up the cemetery which was much needed.

WEST PERU AND DICKVALE

The funeral of William Weston, who died at the C. M. G. Hospital, Oct. 10, was held at the home of his sister, Mrs. James Saunders, last Wednesday. Mr. Weston died of internal cancers and has been a great sufferer for the past six months. He was forty-four years of age and leaves besides the sister mentioned one brother, Frank Weston, of New Hampshire, and Fred Weston of Rumford. He was a member of the Ode of the Moose at Rumford.

SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. George Kimball and Miss Amy Jones of Stark, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Jones were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Abner B. Kimball.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cole of Bryant's Pond are visiting her brother, Freeman Bennett.

Miss Ina Good, who has been visiting in Stoneham at Mrs. Bickford's, has returned to Songo Lake Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Millett and sons, Harold and Horace, of Norway were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Kimball, Sunday.

Herman E. Brown has purchased a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Saunders have the sympathy of the community in the loss of their daughter, Louisa. She was sick just a week, and had the best of medical help and a loving mother's care, but Saturday night at 11 o'clock she passed away. She was 2 years, 1 month and 7 days old. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Curtis officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Kimball were callers at A. B. Kimball's, Sunday.

Mr. Millard Clough is moving his family to Bethel, occupying the Clough place at the top of Mill Hill.

Increasing the efficiency of corn for cattle feeding

It has been known for some years that corn by itself is not an economical cattle feed. The reason for this is that about one-half of the proteins in corn are deficient in some of the essential compounds needed to produce growth. In order to make corn more efficient, it is therefore necessary to mix the corn with other cattle feeds which contain an abundance of those compounds which are lacking in corn. Experiments along this line have recently been carried out by the United States Department of Agriculture. It has been shown that when certain concentrates such as coconut press cake, peanut press cake, soy bean press cake, or cottonseed press cake, are added to the corn more rapid

growth results and the mixture of proteins is much more efficient and economical than the proteins of corn alone. It is therefore very important that the cattle feeder should so mix his diet that he can get the greatest amount of growth from the least quantity of protein used, since the protein is the most expensive constituent in his feed.

It has been found that about 40 per cent of coconut press cake, or 25 per cent of soy bean press cake or peanut press cake, mixed with corn furnishes a very efficient diet. It is not safe, however, to add so much cottonseed press cake, since cotton seed is frequently toxic and is ordinarily not fed to cattle in amounts of more than 3 or 4 pounds a day. The experiments which have been performed indicate that when corn is properly mixed with the press cake mentioned above about twice as much growth can be obtained on a pound of protein from the mixture as on corn protein alone.

While exact data has not been obtained, the experiments thus far show that great economy can be achieved by mixture of other protein foods with corn.

DR. BRISTOL WARNS AGAINST INFECTED SHAVING BRUSHES

The discovery that a shipment of shaving brushes found to be infected with anthrax organisms has been distributed through the middle west by the New York manufacturers who supply many sections of the country with this article, with the result that at least one confirmed case of the disease has been caused has led Dr. L. D. Bristol, State Commissioner of Health in Maine to investigate the matter here.

This investigation has shown that none of the infected shaving brushes, which were apparently made from the hairs of animals suffering from the disease, have found their way to Maine retailers. The commissioner feels however that a word of warning should be issued to the men of this state so that they may understand that this danger is not theoretic but real.

Citing the case of anthrax in Illinois, laboratory examination of the man's shaving brush showed the presence of anthrax organisms. Thirty six other brushes from this same lot were examined and all were found similarly infected.

"Anthrax is a serious disease of the skin and tissues and may affect the lungs," says Dr. Bristol. "It is essentially a disease of the lower animals but through shaving brushes made from the

hairs of infected animals it is spread to man, I am glad to say I have been unable to discover any evidence of such infected brushes in Maine but feel that the people of this state should be warned and made familiar with the danger."

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Near Benton Falls on Pettis Brook in a little burial ground among the pines, is a stone that marks the grave of Joel Crosby. The neighborhood tradition says he built the first frame house above Augusta, one hundred and seventy years ago, built it with slave labor, and then freed the slaves, a full half century before the birth of Lincoln.

Joel himself, as a lad, had been a slave to the Indians in Queen Anne's War. The house still stands foursquare to every wind that blows, on a little hill that overlooks the valley. Down on the brook below the house is a mouldering mill, a monument to Joel's grandson Hiram Crosby, a man who claimed to be but "middlin' honest." His neighbors said it stretched the mind to comprehend the length and breadth of Hiram Crosby's notion of being middlin' honest.

In thirty years with the help of a dozen families he built for himself a competence, and secured for those who sawed the logs a reasonable comfort. Then came a time when it was no longer profitable to run the mill. One morning his youngest son a husky lad of twenty, said: Father, why not close the mill? All the other mills are closing. If you shut down now you will have a plenty, but if you keep on sawing five more years you'll lose half of what you've made." And then the man who was but "middlin' honest" said: "But Sam, what will become of Alfred Eames and David Flagg and Edgar Smith and all the rest who've helped us in the mill? Somehow I feel that all I've got I hold in trust for them. They're getting gray and it's too late now for them to learn another trade."

And so the saw mill sawed on, violating all economic law, sawing to saw-just all of Sam's inheritance except the concept that honesty is something more than living within the limits of the law.

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